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April 1, 1872 d-tf.

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April 1, 1872 d-tf.

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UNDERWRITERS'
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CHICAGO, December 5, 1871.

To the Officers of the Germania, Hanover, Niagara and Republic Fire Ins. Co.'s of New York.

GENTLEMEN: The course pursued by your Companies in the adjustment and payment of our own claims, and so far as we know, ALL claims for losses in the great fire in Chicago, has been so highly honorable, prompt and straightforward, and marked by such apparent desire to deal justly towards all parties, under all circumstances, that we desire voluntarily to acknowledge it to the business public. We conceive that no stronger test could be made, both of the responsibility and of the integrity of an Insurance organization, than yours has passed through more successfully and creditably. With an unimpaired Capital and undiminished responsibility, and a record for equitable settlement, certainly surpassed by none, we congratulate you on the career of future prosperity, to which your actions here have so justly entitled you, and remain,

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LOTS 4 and 5, block 9, Smith & Co.'s addition, on Condit street, between Morgan and Broadway; size 80x152 feet; one story frame house, 3 rooms and cellar. Improvements nearly new. Can be had for $1,000. WARREN & DURFEE.

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FIVE HOUSES, in Peddecord & Burrows' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time, to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 4, Peddecord & Burrows' addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and new stable—all in good repair: lot 50x160 ft., fronting on William st.; very convenient to the business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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April 26, 1872 d-tf.

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$1,065,606.00.

Losses in Chicago Fire paid, $500,000

☞ Full lines upon desirable risks accepted at reasonable Rates.

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April 11, 1872 d-tf.

A GAMBLING HELL AT LONG BRANCH.

Correspondence of the New York World.

Perhaps you were never in a club house. Perhaps you never went to a circus or a clam-bake. But then, these are parts of this world which are said to be very wicked, but it is only wicked as you make it. And I assure you, you may enter the soft lair of this gentle tiger and come out refreshed, and possibly enlightened as to the fighting propensities of your neighbor, if you preserve your balance.

A Club house like Chamberlin's isn't exactly the place for the restoration of one's health, if he be reduced to a vegetarian diet. Because at 11 o'clock, when it is altogether too late for feeding, he would be invited to a table such as would give a ghost an appetite. Spanish mackerel, woodcock, crabs with soft shells, and every concievable delicacy, both of food and drink, will be kept before him; and do you think he will need coaxing? Then, if he chooses, he may fondle the tiger. This tiger is a deliciously soft and frisky creature, feeding on greenbacks only, so that he is fat and sleek and rather attractive. But no man is forced or even invited to fondle. There is the pet you welcome anyhow, and if you can beat the beast you are correspondingly happy. Of course this is all wrong. But the men who go wrong can afford it generally, and the Long Branch visitors will have their tiger as well as their clams.

MAKE A SOLID FOUNDATION.

A farmer's boy passed the whole day piling up wood under the shed, and when evening came called the farmer to look at his work, expecting to hear words of praise from the old man's lips. But the farmer was silent, although the logs were piled up so evenly that it seemed like one solid piece of wood.

The boy went sorrowfully to bed, for he could not understand the farmer's silent and thoughtful face. At earliest dawn he betook himself to the wood shed.

There stood the farmer, and at his feet lay the wreck of the fine, even pile of wood. "My boy," said the old man, "you laid your heavy logs on the top; but mind, in the future you will do better. Above all things, if you expect to heap up wealth and character in a beautiful pile that will stand to the end, you must lay the heavy logs of temperance, honesty, industry, and frugality at the bottom."

SUNSHINE IN DWELLINGS.

The time very likely will come when sunshine or sunlight will be so utilized as to be the entire remedy used for very many diseases. That it is a wonderful vitalizer none can doubt who know anything about it. But how many houses are constructed with a view to getting all the sunshine possible, especially when so much is needed as in winter and spring? The living or sitting room, at these seasons of the year at least, should have a full southern exposure, with large windows to let in the sunshine. Sleeping rooms, wardrobes, closets, passage-ways should receive the cleansing, vivifying influence of the sun. Sickly persons should court the sunshine as much as possible—sit in it, lie in it, luxuriate in it. It doesn't cost anything, only appreciation. A room warmed neither by sun nor by fire is unhealthy and unfit for human habitation. It is a poor theory that sends men, women or children off into a cold room to sleep, on health principles, when warmth has been excluded for a day or week, or perhaps months. The change in the temperature of a room, having both fire and sunshine, after the sun goes down, chill is exceedingly marked. A receptible feeling is felt.

A CITY OF WOMEN.

Mrs. Leonowens, in her lecture on Siam, tells the following: "The central part of the capital city of Bangkok, in Siam, is devoted exclusively to the residence of some nine thousand women, among whom no man but the King may enter. The inhabitants of this inner city are the thousand women of the royal harem, and some eight thousand more, who are soldiers, artificers and slaves. The little world is ruled by women as magistrates, who administer the laws of the kingdom. There is no appeal from their decisions. Prisoners are arrested by sheriffs of their own sex. It is unnecessary to chain them, it is done by blacksmiths of their own sex. If a disturbance arises, it is suppressed by a force of five hundred Amazons, trained from infancy to the use of sword and spear. Meanwhile the slave women carry on a variety of manufactures, or go outside the walls to till the fields. The women of higher birth are 'sealed' to the King; the slave women may marry but their husbands dwell outside the walls. The children, if boys, are banished from the city of women at six years old; only the girls remain. All the Oriental distinctions of rank are scrupulously observed within this strange realm, except that the magistrates are chosen for personal character and wisdom." Mrs. Leonowens speaks with great reverence of the woman who was Chief Justice when she lived in Bangkok, and tells some remarkable anecdotes of the courage with which she enforced justice against offenders far superior to herself in social rank.

THE PLATFORM.

The following is the Platform adopted by the National Republican Convention at Philadelphia:

The Republican party of the United States, assembled in National Convention in the city of Philadelphia, on the 5th and 6th days of June, 1872, again declares its faith, appeals to its history, and announces its position upon the questions before the country.

1. During the eleven years of its supremacy it has accepted with grand courage the solemn duties of the time. It suppressed a gigantic rebellion, emancipated 4,000,000 slaves, decreed the equal citizenship of all and established universal suffrage, exhibiting unparalleled magnanimity. It criminally punished no man for political offense, and warmly welcomed all who proved their loyalty by obeying the laws and dealing justly with their neighbors. It has steadily decreased with a firm hand the resultant disorders of the great war, and indicated a wise policy towards the Indians. The Pacific railroad and similar vast enterprises have been generally aided and successfully conducted. The public lands have been freely given to actual settlers, immigration protected and encouraged, and a full acknowledgment of naturalized citizens' rights secured from European powers. A uniform national currency has been provided, repudiation frowned down, the national credit sustained under the most extraordinary burdens, and new bonds negotiated at lower rates. The revenues have been carefully collected and honestly applied; despite the annual large reductions of the rates of taxation, the public debt has been reduced during Gen. Grant's Presidency at the rate of one hundred millions of dollars a year; a great financial crisis has been averted, and peace and plenty prevail throughout the land.—Menacing foreign difficulties have been peacefully and honorably compromised, and the honor and power of the nation kept in high respect throughout the world. This glorious record of the past is the paryt's best pledge for the future. We believe the people will not intrust the government to any party or combination of men composed chiefly of those who have resisted every step of this beneficial progress.

2. Complete liberty and exact equality in the enjoyment of all civil, political and public rights should be established and effectually maintained throughout the Union by efficient and appropriate State and federal legislation. Neither the law nor its administration should admit of any discrimination in respect to any citizen by reason of race, creed, color or previous condition of servitude.

3. The recent amendments to the National Constitution should be cordially sustained, because they are right, not merely tolerated because they are the law, and should be carried out, according to their spirit, by appropriate legislation, the enforcement of which can be safely trusted only to the party that secured those amendments

4. The national government should seek to maintain an honorable peace with all nations, protecting its citizens everywhere, and sympathizing with all peoples who strive for greater liberty.

5. Any system of civil service under which the subordinate positions of the government are considered rewards for mere party zeal is fitly demoralizing, and we therefore favor a reform of the system by laws which shall abolish the evils of patronage, and make honesty, efficiency and fidelity essential qualifications for public position, without practically creating a life tenure of office.

6. We are opposed to the further grants of public lands to corporations and monopolies, and demand that the national domain be set apart for free homes for the people.

7. The annual revenues, after paying current debts, should furnish a moderate balance for the reduction of the principal, and the revenue, except so much as may be derived from a tax on tobacco and liquors, should be raised by duties on importations, the duties of which should be so adjusted as to aid in securing remunerative wages to labor, and promote the industries, growth and prosperity of the whole country.

8. We hold in undying honor the soldiers and sailors whose valor saved the Union. Their pensions are a sacred debt of the nation, and the widows and orphans of those who died for their country are entitled to the care of a generous and grateful people, and we favor such additional legislation as will extend the bounty of the government to all our soldiers and sailors who were honorably discharged, and who in the line of duty became disabled, without regard to the length of time or cause of such discharge.

9. The doctrine of Great Britain and other European powers, concerning allegiance, "once a subject, always a subject," having at last through the efforts of the Republican party, been abandoned, and the American idea of an individuals's right to transfer his allegiance having been accepted by European nations, it is the duty of our government to guard with jealous care the rights of adopted citizens against the assumption of unauthorized claims by their former governments, and we urge continual and careful encouragement and protection to voluntary immigration.

10. The franking privilege ought to be abolished and the way prepared for a speedy reduction in the rates of postage.

11. Among the questions which press for attention is that which concerns the relations of capital and labor, and the Republican party recognize the duty of so shaping legislation as to secure full protection and the amplest field for capital, and for labor, the creator of capital, the largest opportunities, and a just share of the mutual profits of these two great servants of civilization.

12. We hold that Congress and the President have only fulfilled an imperative duty in their measures for the suppression of violent and treasonable organizations in certain lately rebellious regions, and for the protection of the ballot-box, and therefore are entitled to the thanks of the nation.

13. We denounce the repudiation of the public debt, in any form or disguise, as a national crime, and we witness with pride the reduction of the principle of the debt and upon the rates of interest upon the balance, and we confidently expect that our excellent national currency will be perfected by the speedy resumption of specie payments.

14. The Republican party is mindful of its obligations to the loyal women of America for their noble devotion to the cause of freedom, and their admission to wider fields of usefulness is received with satisfaction; and the demands of any class of citizens for additional rights should be treated with respectful consideration.

15. We heartily approve the actions of Congress in extending amnesty to those lately in rebellion, and rejoice in the growth of peace and fraternal feeling throughout the land.

16. The Republican party propose to respect the rights reserved by the people themselves as carefully as the powers delegated by them to State and to federal government. It disapproves of a resort to unconstitutional laws for the purpose of removing evils by interference with rights not surrendered by the people to either the State or national government.

17. It is the duty of the general government to adopt such measures as will tend to encourage American commerce and ship building.

18. We believe that the modest patriotism, the earnest purpose, sound judgment, practical wisdom, incorruptible integrity and illustrious services of Ulysses S. Grant have commended him to the hearts of the American people, and with him at our head we start to-day on a new march to victory.

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" "	closes at	4:00 P. M.
Eastern "	arrives at	2:35 P. M.
" "	closes at	10:30 A. M.
Western "	arrives at	11:40 P. M.
" "	closes at	1:35 P. M.

Through Eastern mail closes at 8:00 P. M.
☞ Daily through Chicago mail closes at 4:00 P. M.

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Pass Decatur:

Passenger Trains.

GOING SOUTH.

2:10 A. M. .... 5:05 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

5:10 A. M. .... 5:00 P. M.

Freight Trains.

GOING NORTH.

10.30 A. M. .... 3:05 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

7:25 A. M. .... 3:15 P. M.

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TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 30 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 15 a. m
"	Decatur	2 10 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 30 a. m
"	Keokuk	11 00 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 50 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9 Leaves Decatur .... 6:15 a. m.

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 2) a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m
"	Decatur	12 10 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 27 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.

No. 11--Leaves Decatur .... 8:00 p. m.

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West .... 2 50 p. m
" " Accom " .... 6 00 a. m

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GEO. H. BURROWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
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Railroad Election.

CHICAGO AND ILL. SOUTHERN R. R. CO., }
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, }
CLEVELAND, O., May 29, 1871. }

THE ANNUAL MEETING for the election of Directors of the Chicago and Illinois Southern Railway Company, as provided in the Articles of Consolidation between the Decatur, Sullivan and Mattoon and the Chicago and Illinois Southern Railroad Companies, will be held at the office of the company in the city of Mattoon, Illinois, on Tuesday, July 9, 1872, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

S. A. FULLER, Secretary.

June 5, 1872—d-td.

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ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, to the July term, A. D. 1872.

WILLIAM HUMMEL } Attachment,
vs.
AMOS T. HICKMAN, }

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Amos T. Hickman, that on the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, a Writ of Attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county against his estate, at the suit of William Hummel, for the sum of Two Thousand and Seventy-Seven and 58-100 Dollars, directed to the Sheriff of said Macon county; and that the same has been executed.

Now, unless you, the said Amos T. Hickman, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of the next term, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, upon the

22d day of July, A. D. 1872,

And give bill or plead to the said plaintiff's action within the time limited by said court, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of said William Hummel, and so much of the estate so attached as may be necessary to make the amount of said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

E. McCLELLAN,
Cl'k of the Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.
CREA & EWING, Att'ys for Pl'ff.
May 21, 1872—d1w.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

Daniel H. Elwood, Reuben Wilkinson, and David P. Elwood, partners as Elwood & Co.,
vs.
Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, John W. Hamilton, James B. Fiske, Augustus Knight, and Lewis F. Houck.

Forcelosure of Mechanic's Lien.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendants, James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July next, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, shall personally be and appear before the said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872.

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainants' bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of the said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
CREA & EWING for Compl'ts.
Decatur, May 22, 1872—d4w.

PROFESSIONAL.

E. R. ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEY at LAW.

OFFICE:—Over Dr. Stoner's drug store, No. 11 south side New square. [a23-d1y

W. C. JOHNS,

Attorney at Law.

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Aug. 11, 1870-1y

C. C. McComas,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public. Office over Smiths, Hammer & Co.'s Bank, south-west corner New Square, Decatur, Ill. April 10, 1872-dwtf.

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

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April 13, 1872-dwtf.

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April 26—d-tf.

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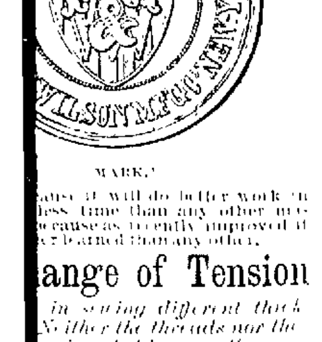

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GENTLEMEN: The course pursued by your companies in the adjustment and payment of our own claims, and so far as we know, ALL claims for losses in the great fire in Chicago, has been so highly honorable, prompt and straightforward, and marked by such apparent desire to deal justly towards all parties, under all circumstances, that we desire voluntarily to acknowledge it to the business public. We conceive that no stronger test could be made, both of the responsibility and of the integrity of an Insurance organization, than yours has passed through more successfully and creditably. With an unimpaired Capital and undiminished responsibility, and a record for equitable settlement, certainly surpassed by none, we congratulate you on the career of future prosperity, to which your actions here have so justly entitled you, and remain,

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Losses in Chicago Fire paid, $500,000

Full lines upon desirable risks accepted at reasonable Rates.

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April 1, 1872 d-1f.

A GAMBLING HELL AT LONG BRANCH.

Correspondence of the New York World.

Perhaps you were never in a club house. Perhaps you never went to a circus or a clam-bake. But then, these are parts of this world which are said to be very wicked, but it is only wicked as you make it. And I assure you, you may enter the soft lair of this gentle tiger and come out refreshed, and possibly enlightened as to the fighting propensities of your neighbor, if you preserve your balance.

A Club house like Chamberlin's isn't exactly the place for the restoration of one's health, if he be reduced to a vegetarian diet. Because at 11 o'clock, when it is altogether too late for feeding, he would be invited to a table such as would give a ghost an appetite. Spanish mackerel, woodcock, crabs with soft shells, and every concievable delicacy, both of food and drink, will be kept before him; and do you think he will need coaxing? Then, if he chooses, he may fondle the tiger. This tiger is a deliciously soft and frisky creature, feeding on greenbacks only, so that he is fat and sleek and rather attractive. But no man is forced or even invited to fondle. There is the pet you welcome anyhow, and if you can beat the beast you are correspondingly happy. Of course this is all wrong. But the men who go wrong can afford it generally, and the Long Branch visitors will have their tiger as well as their clams.

MAKE A SOLID FOUNDATION.

A farmer's boy passed the whole day piling up wood under the shed, and when evening came called the farmer to look at his work, expecting to hear words of praise from the old man's lips. But the farmer was silent, although the logs were piled up so evenly that it seemed like one solid piece of wood.

The boy went sorrowfully to bed, for he could not understand the farmer's silent and thoughtful face. At earliest dawn he betook himself to the wood shed.

There stood the farmer, and at his feet lay the wreck of the fine, even pile of wood. "My boy," said the old man, "you laid your heavy logs on the top; but mind, in the future you will do better. Above all things, if you expect to heap up wealth and character in a beautiful pile that will stand to the end, you must lay the heavy logs of temperance, honesty, industry, and frugality at the bottom."

SUNSHINE IN DWELLINGS.

The time very likely will come when sunshine or sunlight will be so utilized as to be the entire remedy used for very many diseases. That it is a wonderful vitalizer none can doubt who know anything about it. But how many houses are constructed with a view to getting all the sunshine possible, especially when so much is needed as in winter and spring? The living or sitting room, at these seasons of the year at least, should have a full southern exposure, with large windows to let in the sunshine. Sleeping rooms, wardrobes, closets, passage-ways should receive the cleansing, vivifying influence of the sun. Sickly persons should court the sunshine as much as possible—sit in it, lie in it, luxuriate in it. It doesn't cost anything, only appreciation. A room warmed neither by sun nor by fire is unhealthy and unfit for human habitation. It is a poor theory that sends men, women or children off into a cold room to sleep, on health principles, when warmth has been excluded for a day or week, or perhaps months. The change in the temperature of a room, having both fire and sunshine, after the sun goes down, chill is exceedingly marked. A receptible feeling is felt.

A CITY OF WOMEN.

Mrs. Leonowens, in her lecture on Siam, tells the following: "The central part of the capital city of Bangkok, in Siam, is devoted exclusively to the residence of some nine thousand women, among whom no man but the King may enter. The inhabitants of this inner city are the thousand women of the royal harem, and some eight thousand more, who are soldiers, artificers and slaves. The little world is ruled by women as magistrates, who administer the laws of the kingdom. There is no appeal from their decisions. Prisoners are arrested by sheriffs of their own sex. It is unnecessary to chain them, it is done by blacksmiths of their own sex. If a disturbance arises, it is suppressed by a force of five hundred Amazons, trained from infancy to the use of sword and spear. Meanwhile the slave women carry on a variety of manufactures, or go outside the walls to till the fields. The women of higher birth are 'sealed' to the King; the slave women may marry but their husbands dwell outside the walls. The children, if boys, are banished from the city of women at six years old; only the girls remain. All the Oriental distinctions of rank are scrupulously observed within this strange realm, except that the magistrates are chosen for personal character and wisdom." Mrs. Leonowens speaks with great reverence of the woman who was Chief Justice when she lived in Bangkok, and tells some remarkable anecdotes of the courage with which she enforced justice against offenders far superior to herself in social rank.

THE PLATFORM.

The following is the Platform adopted by the National Republican Convention at Philadelphia:

The Republican party of the United States, assembled in National Convention in the city of Philadelphia, on the 5th and 6th days of June, 1872, again declares its faith, appeals to its history, and announces its position upon the questions before the country.

1. During the eleven years of its supremacy it has accepted with grand courage the solemn duties of the time. It suppressed a gigantic rebellion, emancipated 4,000,000 slaves, decreed the equal citizenship of all and established universal suffrage, exhibiting unparalleled magnanimity. It criminally punished no man for political offense, and warmly welcomed all who proved their loyalty by obeying the laws and dealing justly with their neighbors. It has steadily decreased with a firm hand the resultant disorders of the great war, and indicated a wise policy towards the Indians. The Pacific railroad and similar vast enterprises have been generally aided and successfully conducted. The public lands have been freely given to actual settlers, immigration protected and encouraged, and a full acknowledgment of naturalized citizens' rights secured from European powers. A uniform national currency has been provided, repudiation frowned down, the national credit sustained under the most extraordinary burdens, and new bonds negotiated at lower rates. The revenues have been carefully collected and honestly applied; despite the annual large reductions of the rates of taxation, the public debt has been reduced during Gen. Grant's Presidency at the rate of one hundred millions of dollars a year; a great financial crisis has been averted, and peace and plenty prevail throughout the land.—Menacing foreign difficulties have been peacefully and honorably compromised, and the honor and power of the nation kept in high respect throughout the world. This glorious record of the past is the paryt's best pledge for the future. We believe the people will not intrust the government to any party or combination of men composed chiefly of those who have resisted every step of this beneficial progress.

2. Complete liberty and exact equality in the enjoyment of all civil, political and public rights should be established and effectually maintained throughout the Union by efficient and appropriate State and federal legislation. Neither the law nor its administration should admit of any discrimination in respect to any citizen by reason of race, creed, color or previous condition of servitude.

3. The recent amendments to the National Constitution should be cordially sustained, because they are right, not merely tolerated because they are the law, and should be carried out, according to their spirit, by appropriate legislation, the enforcement of which can be safely trusted only to the party that secured those amendments.

4. The national government should seek to maintain an honorable peace with all nations, protecting its citizens everywhere, and sympathizing with all peoples who strive for greater liberty.

5. Any system of civil service under which the subordinate positions of the government are considered rewards for mere party zeal is fitly demoralizing, and we therefore favor a reform of the system by laws which shall abolish the evils of patronage, and make honesty, efficiency and fidelity essential qualifications for public position, without practically creating a life tenure of office.

6. We are opposed to the further grants of public lands to corporations and monopolies, and demand that the national domain be set apart for free homes for the people.

7. The annual revenues, after paying current debts, should furnish a moderate balance for the reduction of the principal, and the revenue, except so much as may be derived from a tax on tobacco and liquors, should be raised by duties on importations, the duties of which should be so adjusted as to aid in securing remunerative wages to labor, and promote the industries, growth and prosperity of the whole country.

8. We hold in undying honor the soldiers and sailors whose valor saved the Union. Their pensions are a sacred debt of the nation, and the widows and orphans of those who died for their country are entitled to the care of a generous and grateful people, and we favor such additional legislation as will extend the bounty of the government to all our soldiers and sailors who were honorably discharged, and who in the line of duty became disabled, without regard to the length of time or cause of such discharge.

9. The doctrine of Great Britain and other European powers, concerning allegiance, "once a subject, always a subject," having at last through the efforts of the Republican party, been abandoned, and the American idea of an individuals's right to transfer his allegiance having been accepted by European nations, it is the duty of our government to guard with jealous care the rights of adopted citizens against the assumption of unauthorized claims by their former governments, and we urge continual and careful encouragement and protection to voluntary immigration.

10. The franking privilege ought to be abolished and the way prepared for a speedy reduction in the rates of postage.

11. Among the questions which press for attention is that which concerns the relations of capital and labor, and the Republican party recognize the duty of so shaping legislation as to secure full protection and the amplest field for capital, and for labor, the creator of capital, the largest opportunities, and a just share of the mutual profits of these two great servants of civilization.

12. We hold that Congress and the President have only fulfilled an imperative duty in their measures for the suppression of violent and treasonable organizations in certain lately rebellious regions, and for the protection of the ballot-box, and therefore are entitled to the thanks of the nation.

13. We denounce the repudiation of the public debt, in any form or disguise, as a national crime, and we witness with pride the reduction of the principle of the debt and upon the rates of interest upon the balance, and we confidently expect that our excellent national currency will be perfected by the speedy resumption of specie payments.

14. The Republican party is mindful of its obligations to the loyal women of America for their noble devotion to the cause of freedom, and their admission to wider fields of usefulness is received with satisfaction; and the demands of any class of citizens for additional rights should be treated with respectful consideration.

15. We heartily approve the actions of Congress in extending amnesty to those lately in rebellion, and rejoice in the growth of peace and fraternal feeling throughout the land.

16. The Republican party propose to respect the rights reserved by the people themselves as carefully as the powers delegated by them to State and to federal government. It disapproves of a resort to unconstitutional laws for the purpose of removing evils by interference with rights not surrendered by the people to either the State or national government.

17. It is the duty of the general government to adopt such measures as will tend to encourage American commerce and ship building.

18. We believe that the modest patriotism, the earnest purpose, sound judgment, practical wisdom, incorruptible integrity and illustrious services of Ulyssess S. Grant have commended him to the hearts of the American people, and with him at our head we start to day on a new march to victory.

Jas. Forester & Co.
EXCLUSIVE WHOLESALE
DEALERS IN
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By Examining our Stock before Purchasing elsewhere.

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Northern Mail arrives at 5:00 P. M.
" " closes at 8 P. M.
Southern " arrives at 5:30 A. M.
" " closes at 4:00 P. M.
Eastern " arrives at 2:35 P. M.
" " closes at 10:30 A. M.
Western " arrives at 11:40 P. M.
" " closes at 1:35 P. M.
Through Eastern mail closes at 8:30 P. M.
Daily through Chicago mail closes at 6:00 P. M.

J. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Pass Decatur:

Passenger Trains.

GOING SOUTH.
2:10 A. M. .... 5:05 P. M.
GOING NORTH.
5:10 A. M. .... 5:00 P. M.

Freight Trains.

GOING NORTH.
10.30 A. M. .... 3:05 P. M.
GOING SOUTH.
7:25 A. M. .... 3:15 P. M.

Close connection made at Vandalia for St. Louis, and at Mendota for Chicago.

A. MITCHELL, Gen. Sup't, } Chicago
F. J. TUCKER, Gen. Ft. Agt., }
E. M. MISNER, Agent, Decatur.

T., W. & W. Railway.

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 40 p. m
"	Decatur	2 30 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 15 a. m
"	Decatur	2 10 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 30 a. m
"	Keokuk	11 00 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 50 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9 Leaves Decatur .... 6:15 a. m.

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 25 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m
"	Decatur	12 19 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 27 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.

No. 11—Leaves Decatur .... 8:00 p. m.

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West .... 2 50 p. m
" " Accom " .... 6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East .... 8 10 a. m
" " Accom " .... 3 45 p. m

GEO. H. BURROWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
JOHN B. PARSONS, Gen'l Tick't Ag't, Toledo
R. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

Railroad Election.

CHICAGO AND ILL. SOUTHERN R. R. Co.,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
CLEVELAND, O., May 29, 1871.

THE ANNUAL MEETING for the election of Directors of the Chicago and Illinois Southern Railway Company, as provided in the Articles of Consolidation between the Decatur, Sullivan and Mattoon and the Chicago and Illinois Southern Railroad Companies, will be held at the office of the company in the city of Mattoon, Illinois, on Tuesday, July 9, 1872, at 2 o'clock, p. m.
S. A. FULLER, Secretary,
June 5, 1872—d-1d.

E. A. GASTMAN, Decatur, Ill. —— GEO. W. GASTMAN, Hudson, Ill.

Gastman Bros.,
BREEDERS OF
Pure Berkshire Pigs!

We have Sows from some of the best breeders in the State. Some of our Spring Pigs will be from a Boar imported by Pickrell in 1870.

Italian Bees and Norway Oats for Sale

Decatur, Jan. 5, 1871-1y.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, to the July term, A. D. 1872.

WILLIAM HUMMEL } Attachment,
vs.
AMOS T. HICKMAN, }

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Amos T. Hickman, that on the 29th day of May, A. D., 1872, a Writ of Attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county against his estate, at the suit of William Hummel, for the sum of Two Thousand and Seventy-Seven and 58-100 Dollars, directed to the Sheriff of said Macon county; and that the same has been executed.

Now, unless you, the said Amos T. Hickman, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of the next term, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, upon the

22d day of July, A. D. 1872,

And give bail or plead to the said plaintiff's action within the time limited by said court, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of said William Hummel, of so much of the estate so attached as may be necessary to make the amount of said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

E. McCLELLAN,
Cl'k of the Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.
CREA & EWING, Att'ys for Pl'ff.
May 21, 1872—d1w.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

Daniel H. Elwood, Reuben Wilkinson, and David P. Elwood, partners as Elwood & Co.,
vs.
Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, John W. Hamilton, James B. Fiske, Augustus Knight, and Lewis F. Houck.

Foreclosure of Mechanic's Lien.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendants, James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July next, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, shall personally be and appear before the said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872.

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainants' bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of the said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
CREA & EWING for Compl'ts.
Decatur, May 22, 1872—d1w.

PROFESSIONAL.

E. R. ELDRIDGE,
ATTORNEY at LAW.
OFFICE:—Over Dr. Stoner's drug store, No. 11 south side New square. [a21-d1y

W. C. JOHNS,
Attorney at Law.
OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr. 1-d1f.

DR. A. S. WALTZ,
SURGEON DENTIST, at Macon, Ills. Office with Dr. Tobey, on Main street. Open every day. Operations performed at the lowest rates. Call and see him. Get his prices before going elsewhere.
December 28, 1871—1y.

JOHN W. SMITH, ERIC I. STERRETT,
SMITH STERRETT,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.—Office No. 22 North Water street, Decatur, Ill.
Aug. 11, 1870-1y

C. C. McComas,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public. Office over Smiths, Hammer & Co.'s Bank, south-west corner New Square, Decatur, Ill. April 10, 1872-dw11.

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 13, 1872-dw1f.

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,
HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Busher's shoe store.

DR. R. C. DAWKINS,
DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smiths Hammer & Co's Bank. (ill-daw1.

Woods, Gooding & Co.,
—GENERAL—
Produce Commission Merchants
FOR THE SALE OF
Butter, Eggs, Cheese, Apples,
Canned and Dried Fruits,
And Farmers' Produce.

Consignments Solicited
And Prompt Returns Guaranteed.
Uhlich's Hotel, cor. 22nd and State Sts.
R. M. WOODS,
D. W. C. GOODING,
SAMUEL E. MINER.
October 19, 1871—3mos.

LAND FOR SALE!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FOR SALE 160 acres of Improved Prairie Land, seven miles southeast of Decatur. There is on the place 1½ miles hedge, most of it 2 years old and over. The improvements consist of a story and a half house, stabling for four horses, orchard of 85 trees in bearing.

TERMS—One-third cash, balance in one and two years.

Apply on the premises to
S. M. C. DAVIS.

DISSOLUTION.

THE FIRM OF J. W. & S. M. C. DAVIS was dissolved by mutual consent, November 15, 1871. J. W. & S. M. C. DAVIS.
Decatur, May 30, 1872—w-6m

.A. C. CORNMAN,
House and Sign
PAINTER,
PAPER-HANGER, ETC.

SHOP over L. M. Gill & Co's grocery store New Square, Decatur, Ill. [feb9,70.

A New Arrival!

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Suitable for both Ladies and Gentlemen; Solid Gold and Plated Opera and Chatelain

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A Complete Assortment of

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Solid Silver and Plated Ware, sold in sets or single pieces. Also, a complete stock of

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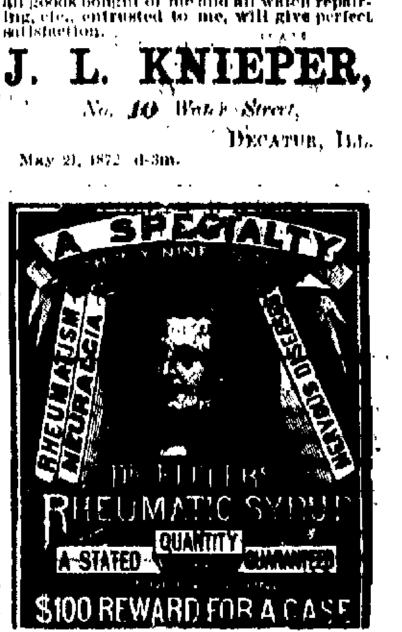
With French Acromatic Lense and genuine Brazillian Pebbles.
All goods WARRANTED as represented. Goods bought of me!

Engraved Free of Charge!

Having had an experience of over fifteen years in the business, I feel confident that all goods bought of me and all watch repairing, etc., entrusted to me, will give perfect satisfaction.

J. L. KNIEPER,
No. 10 Water Street,
DECATUR, ILL.
May 21, 1872 d-3m.



$100 Reward for a case of Neuralgia or Rheumatism of any form whatever, (considered curable by any physician) that Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Syrup will not cure, warranted uninjurious, and a physician's prescription.

$5000 Reward offered to the Proprietors of any Medicine for Rheumatism and Neuralgia able to produce one-fourth as many genuine living cures within the same period of time as Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Remedy.

$2000 Reward offered to any person proving Dr. Jos. P. Fitler, M. D., to be other than a graduate of the celebrated University of Pennsylvania in 1833, and Professor of Chemistry—treating Rheumatism specially for 30 years.

$1000 Reward to any Chemist, Physician, or others able to discover Iodide of Potassa, Colchicum, Mercury, or anything injurious to the system in Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Syrup.

$250 Reward for the name of any warranted preparation for Rheumatism and Neuralgia sold under a similar legal guarantee, setting forth the exact number of bottles to cure or return the amount paid for same to the patient in case of failure to cure. A full description of cases requiring guarantees must be forwarded by letter to Philadelphia. The guarantee, signed, and stating quantity to cure, will be returned by mail, with advice and instructions, without any charge. Address all letters to Dr. J. P. FITLER, No. 45 South Fourth Street. No other remedy is offered on such terms.

Medical Advice sent by letter without charge, from time to time; personal examination in Rheumatic complaints seldom necessary. Sufferers desiring guarantee should obtain direct, or from the agent, blank application to be filled up containing questions to be answered and mailed to Philadelphia, signed by the patient. Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Remedy is used inwardly only, and is sold by druggists at $1.25 per bottle—six bottles for $6.50. Get a circular explaining the various forms of Rheumatism, containing prominent testimonials, of the special agent.

HUBBARD & SWEARINGEN
SOLE AGENTS,
Decatur, Ill.
Decatur, April 20, 1872- daw-1y.

ICE CREAM,
SODA WATER, and
ICE COLD LEMONADE,

Are the topics for discussion now. An abundance always on hand, at

Miller's Confectionery.
April 26—d-1f.

DISSOLUTION.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the name and style of JOHNSON & SON, music dealers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All unsettled business of the late firm will be adjusted by the undersigned, who will continue the music business as heretofore. Rooms in Court-House Block, over post-office.
m7-d81 T. S. JOHNSON

New Millinery Goods
Spring Styles!
Mrs. R. C. HAMSHER

BEGS LEAVE TO ANNOUNCE to the ladies of Decatur and vicinity that she is in receipt of the largest and Best Selected Stock of Millinery Goods ever brought to this city, embracing

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Thankful for past favors, she respectfully solicits a continuance of the same.

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One door north of Warren & Durfee,
Decatur, March 28, 1872.

AVERILL'S CHEMICAL PAINT-- Mixed Ready for use—Beautiful, Durable, Water-Proof, Elastic and Cheap. ☞ Call for Sample Card of Colors. --MOREHOUSE &WELLS

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Tuesday Evening, July 2.

National Republican Ticket.

For President,
ULYSSES S. GRANT,
OF ILLINOIS.

For Vice President,
HENRY WILSON,
OF MASS.

Presidential Electors:
At Large—HENRY GREENEBAUM, of Cook Co.
DAVID T. LINEGAR, of Alexander.
1st District—CHAUNCEY T. BOWEN.
2d District—LESTER L. BOND.
3d District—MARLON D. OGDEN.
4th District—RICHARD L. DIVINE.
5th District—JAMES SHAW.
6th District—NORMAN H. RYAN.
7th District—INUS COY.
8th District—JOSEPH J. CASSEL.
9th District—WM. SELDEN GALE.
10th District—W. D. HENDERSON.
11th District—MOSES M. BANE.
12th District—M. H. CHAMBERLAIN.
13th District—HUGH FULLERTON.
14th District—MARTIN B. THOMPSON.
15th District—J. W. WILKIN.
16th District—JOHN P. VAN DORSTON.
17th District—JOHN H. YEAGER.
18th District—JOHN DOUGHERTY.
19th District—WILLIAM H. ROBINSON.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
RICHARD J. OGLESBY,
OF MACON.

For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN L. BEVERIDGE,
OF COOK.

For Auditor,
CHARLES E. LIPPINCOTT,
OF CASS.

For Secretary of State,
GEORGE H. HARLOW,
OF TAZEWELL.

For Treasurer,
EDWARD RUTZ,
OF ST. CLAIR.

For Attorney-General,
JAMES K. EDSALL,
OF LEE.

Clerk of Supreme Court — Central Grand Division,
E. C. HAMBURGER,
OF ADAMS.

For Congress—14th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
OF DOUGLAS CO.

For Member of the Board of Equalization,
JOSEPH G. ENGLISH,
OF VERMILLION CO.

"We are led by him who first taught our armies to conquer in the West, and subsequently in the East also. Richmond would not come to us till we sent Grant after it, and then it had to come. He has never yet been defeated, and he never will be."—HORACE GREELEY.

Republican County Convention

HEADQUARTERS MACON COUNTY }
REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COM., }
DECATUR, June 11, 1872. }

The Republican voters of Macon county are requested to elect delegates to a Republican County Convention, to be held at Smith's Opera House in Decatur, on SATURDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1872 at the hour of 10 a. m., for the following purposes:

1st. To re-organize the County Central Committee.

2nd. To elect delegates to the Republican Senatorial and Representative Conventions.

3rd. To nominate candidates to be voted for at the November election, to fill the following offices, to-wit: Circuit Clerk; Sheriff; County Prosecuting Attorney; Coroner; and

4th. For the transaction of such other business as may necessarily come before the Convention.

The basis of representation will be the vote cast for President in 1868, and each township of the county and ward of Decatur will be allowed one delegate for each fifty Republican votes cast, and one delegate for each fraction of over twenty-five votes. Under this rule the following shows the number of delegates to which each township of the county and ward of Decatur will be entitled: Austin, 1; Blue Mound, 3; Decatur—1st ward, 6; 2d ward, 5; 3d ward, 5; 4th ward, 4; Friends Creek, 3; Harristown, 1; Hickory, 4; Illini, 2; Long Creek, 2; Macon, 4; Maroa, 4; Milam, 1; Mt. Zion, 2; Niantic, 2; Oakley, 2; Pleasant View, 2; Wheatland, 3; Whitmore, 3.

E. M. MISNER, Chm'n.
W. C. JOHNS, Sec'y.

A TRIBUNE "LIBERAL."—One of the shining lights of "Liberalism" in Chicago is "Gen." Robert W. Smith, and he is in high favor with the great Tribune there. In 1869 this same "Gen." Smith ran as the Republican candidate for judge of the recorder's court against the Democratic Judge McAllister. The Tribune then supported McAllister, and denounced Smith as a "dead beat ward bummer." The Tribune has an easy way of doing things.

WHENEVER he hears that visitors are on their way up the road from New York to see him at his farm at Chappaqua, Horace Greeley immediately rises out of his easy chair in his parlor, rolls up his sleeves, pokes his trousers inside of his boot-legs, puts on an old hat, shoulders an ax, rushes to a maple grove near by, and vigorously sets himself to work chopping down trees—the object being to have it noised abroad, as an electioneering card, that he is hard at work as a farmer and wood-chopper. Old Chappaqua—old Chappaquack—old Chopperquacker.

Not less than 80,000 head of beef cattle were driven from the mesquit grass ranges of Western Texas; besides, more than $300,000 worth of hides were exported from one port alone—Indianola—during the last twelve months.

DISINTEGRATION.

The American people, notwithstanding their intensely practical turn of mind, are nevertheless as subject to periodical attacks of political derangement as are their French neighbors. It is not an unusual thing for them to be swayed and carried away by some momentary excitement, upon which occasions they become for the moment the victims of the hallucination of the hour, and play pranks of which they are heartily ashamed when their sober senses resume their normal condition. Instances of this character will readily suggest themselves to the intelligent observer of events.

But these periodical idiosyncracies of American character, threatening as they are during their prevalence, are uniformly short-lived, and invariably work their own cure. And one of the peculiarities of this peculiar characteristic is, that when the returning tide once sets in, it carries back to the high shores of safety a stronger flood than it took out. The great sensation which anti-Masonry created nearly forty years ago, and which threatened for its brief lifetime to wipe out all the secret societies of the country, was followed by a reaction that has made any similar excitement since that time an impossibility. The memories of that warfare still linger with us, but most of those who were identified with the movement long since became ashamed of their connection with it, and the few agitators and malcontents who still endeavor to hold up Masonry as a political bugbear excite in the political mind nothing but a sentiment of pity and contempt. So, too, with Know-Nothingism, which had its brief day of triumph, and then a speedy and ignominious death, and the proscriptive principles which it taught to-day find fewer adherents than they had prior to the inauguration of the movement.

The latest political epidemic, "Liberalism," promises to have a still shorter life than its more successful predecessors. Like them it had its origin in the disappointed ambitions of men to whom power is everything—men who would much rather "rule in hell than serve in heaven." Without aim or object, other than to boost into office—under the guise of reform—a set of men who have been time and again repudiated by the people, it is not strange that the movement should lose its vitality as soon as the first furore of excitement over its cheap catchwords had time to die. But it is remarkable that, before the preliminaries of its organization are complete, and while the froth of its recent uncorking is still bubbling and foaming, the disintegration should begin. Already the disgust of prominent leaders in the movement has been awakened, over the disgraceful scramble for office which has been developed, and some of them openly *denounce* and *renounce* the unholy alliance which has been entered into with the most corrupt of the Democratic leaders. We expected that this would be the result, but it has come sooner than we anticipated. "But for this and all other mercies and blessings, may God be praised."

THE LAWS OF ILLINOIS.

Yesterday being the 1st of July, a mass of new legislation took effect as the law of the State of Illinois. Among the many important acts may be enumerated the following:

1. The new Revenue law, by which the present laws for the collection and assessment of taxes for city purposes are swept away, and an entirely new system provided.
2. Acts regulating practice in Courts of Record.
3. Increasing the jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace to $200 in civil cases, and requiring of them increased bonds.
4. The new general act for incorporation of railways.
5. The act to suppress gaming-houses.
6. To punish the sale and exhibition of obscene publications.
7. A new law of garnishment.
8. An act relating to wills.
9. Governings contracts under seal, and sales of real estate.
10. General act for changing name, increase of stock, number of Directors, and for consolidation of incorporated companies.
11. Punishing the sale of drugs for abortion purposes.
12. Prohibiting the catching of fish by dams, seines, etc.
13. Acts regulating practice in ejectment, and in chancery proceedings
14. Act regulating mill-dams, etc
15. A new law exempting homestead ($1,500) and personal property from sale by execution.
16. A new law regulating the lien of judgements, and the redemption of property sold under execution.
17. Act fixing the fees and salaries of State, judicial, county, and township offices.
18. An act providing for the health and safety of persons employed in coal mines.
19. A new act relating to public schools.
20. Increasing jurisdiction of County Courts.
21. An act providing a new system of selecting jurors.
22. Allowing increase of Masters in Chancery.
23. Act fixing times for election of officers, and for conducting elections in this State.
24. Prohibiting the sale of liquor in jails.
25. Regulating the State printing.
26. Relative to official bribery.
27. Making county and city officers ineligible to certain other offices, and prohibiting them from being interested in contracts.
28. An act regulating the annexation of additional territory to cities and towns.
28. County Boards authorized to put convicts at work; such convicts hereafter to be sentenced to "labor."
29. A new and general act for the incorporation of cities and villages.
30. General act authorizing the formation of union depots and stations for railroads.
31. A general lien law for claims against railroad contractors and subcontractors.
32. Act authorizing building and homestead corporations.
33. Law regulating the right of Eminent Domain.
34. The Burnt Record law
35. The act regulating the licensing and sale of liquors in this State.
36. General act of incorporations
37. Act for the election of Recorder of deeds in Cook County.
38. An act authorizing Mayors of cities to remove and appoint all municipal officers.

There are several other acts, but these embrace all those of general importance. These laws are the more important because they repeal all others on the same subject.

THE success of the Suez canal, which is monthly becoming more assured, has revived the project of a similar work across the isthemus of Darien, or by Nicaragua. By such a cut, of course, cargoes could be dispatched to and from Asia and the Australasian islands without breaking bulk. Water, for bulky articles, must always have the advantage in point of cheapness over land carriage. We will soon have three or four Pacific railroads intersecting the continent, but these will, at best, prove but auxiliaries to the fleets of steamers which, crossing the Atlantic and Pacific, will yet connect Europe and Asia by the original route which Columbus started to discover. Besides, despite of English predictions to the contrary, the Suez route has already revolutionized the carriage of the Asiatic and Australian trade, turning it almost completely into that channel. It consequently behooves those interested in the progress of the western hemisphere to complete for a portion of that which has been from time immemorial the most profitable of the world's traffic. The survey of the officers of our government of the Darien route for a ship canal having been attended with poor success, public attention is once more turned to the Nicaragua route.

IN this city the Liberals are not happy over their convention. "Disappointed" is a mild word to express their feelings on the subject of the nominations. As stated in our Saturday's issue, about forty of the Republicans of this city, who had gone into the new departure have declared their intention to repudiate the nominations. They declare they cannot and will not support any such ticket. Among the number who take this position are gentlemen who were very influential in getting up the Liberal movement. This is only the beginning of the process of disintegration of the fusion party in this State, which will leave on the hands of the Democrats Mr. Greeley, without Republican support.—*Springfield Journal.*

IN 1867, a Miss Barber, a clerk in one of the Departments at Washington, was romantic and foolish enough to marry Squatting Bear, an Indian who was there as a delegate from the Sioux Indians. She accompanied the brave to his home, but when past the limits of civilization the romance was at an end. The other wives of the Bear made her perform the vilest labors of their marauding life, though she had the satisfaction of seeing her noble red man kill the old woman. He afterwards sold the white bride to a Cheyenne Chief for three ponies, but she made her escape from him this spring. She does not advocate the Quaker method of dealing with them, which she says is a perfect farce.

GENERAL.

In and around Biddeford, Me., there is a colony of 2,500 Canadians, and more are constantly arriving

Nearly 5,000 palmetto hats have been manufactured at Fernandina, Fla., and shipped north this season

The Mississippi and its tributaries are navigated by 1,017 steamers, having a capacity of 272,798 tons, and valued at about $10,000,000.

The physicians of New York report an alarming increase of cancer on the nose, caused by the practice of wearing eye-glasses that are held to the bridge of the nose by a spring.

Alexandria, Va., has been unfortunate. Last year the city market was burned up; later the city hall and all the official buildings; and now the old theatre known as Liberty hall has also gone.

Representatives of the English and United States governments are taking testimony at St. Albans, Vt., relative to the losses of the banks and citizens from the raid into that place from Canada during the war.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

☞ [Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

POLITICAL NEWS.

THE NEW YORK WORLD HAS NO ADVICE TO OFFER.

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Greeley will attend on Wednesday, which is to be called the Irish-American day.

The intense heat continues to-day, notwithstanding which there was an imposing show of Irish societies and military in procession to receive the Irish band.

The English residents here gave a banquet to the band of the Grenadier Guards this evening in Faneuil Hall.

FROM CINCINNATI.

CINCINNATI, July 1.—Wm. Smith, editor of the Cincinnati *Price Current*, and until the past year for a long time Superintendent of the Chamber of Commerce, is dangerously sick. Very little chance of his recovery.

Extensive preparations are making for the celebration of the Fourth of July, at the National Soldiers' Home, at Dayton. Mrs. Putnam, founder of the famous Putnam Library, at that institution, will be present, and it is the intention to give her the most generous reception.

The wheat harvest is already fairly under way in this part of Ohio. Though thinner on the ground than usual, all agree that the heads are unusually heavy and well filled

The weather is extremely hot, and many persons will leave this week for summer quarters.

FROM CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, July 2.—The enforcement of the new liquor law yesterday created some excitement among dealers in getting their permits and the City Hall was crowded with applicants. As bonds of persons wholly unknown to the authorities were frequently taken there was little difficulty in procuring license About 150 licenses were issued yesterday. The law seems to work well throughout the State, thus far.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, July 2.—Wheat, quiet, cash 1.21¼; August, 1.14¼.

Corn, steady, cash 40¼; August 42½; Sept. 43¼.

Pork, steady, quiet, cash 12.52½, Aug. 12.70.

Lard, nothing doing.

Oats, steady, 26.

Rye, nothing doing.

Barley, nothing doing.

Highwines, quiet 85.

Hogs, receipts, 6,603; market active; good demand; 5@10c better all around Extreme range, 3,70@4,10, bulk of sales of light 3.90@3.95—heavy at 3.75@3,85.

Cattle, 2.12½@5.75.

Sheep, 4.00@5.50.

NEW YORK, July 2.—Flour, dull, inactive at 6,15@6.50.

Wheat, inactive, No. 2 Chicago 1.52

Corn, quiet and tame 62@62½.

Oats, held at 46; 44½ bid.

Rye, nominal at 82.

Whiskey, inactive 91.

Pork, quiet, $13.40.

Lard, quiet at 9⅛@9¼.

Gold. 13⅞c.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

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WHEAT—Red, per bushel .... $	1,45
" White "	1,50
FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred	5,50
" red " "	5,00
" superfine, "	3,50
" middlings, "	2,50
CORN MEAL—℔ bushel	,70
RYE—℔ bushel..............	40@,45
CORN—℔ bushel..............	28@,35
" shelled, per bush ..	35@,45
HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton, ...	0,00
OATS—℔ bushel, ...	20@23
TIMOTHY SEED—℔ bushel	2 00
CLOVER SEED— "	6,00@7 00
BEANS—℔ bushel	
BUTTER—℔ lb	,12½
EGGS—per doz, ...	,15
LARD—℔ lb	,08
BACON—Sides, ...	,08
HAMS—sugar-cured, ...	,11
SHOULDERS—per lb	,08
HOGS—Live, per hundred, ...	3,25@3,50
CATTLE— " " "	3,50@6,00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	
" " " " sheared .	3,50@4,00
POTATOES—Old, per bu,........	1,00
" New "	,60
PEACHES—Dried, per lb..........	,12½
APPLES— " "	,12½
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine .	27@31
" " coarse & long .	38@45
" " combing	41@47
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	38@48
" " coarse & long	47@53
" " combing	52@54
" Tubwashed, ...	63@65
" " and picked . . .	66@67
HIDES—Green, ℔ lb.	6½@,07
" Salted cured, ...	8½@,09
" Calf, ...	,12½@,12
" Dry salt..	,12½
" Dry Flint	,16
SHEEP PELTS—Green, ...	2,00@2,25
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ℔ lb.	,50@,60
" Common, ℔ lb....	,25@,40
BEESWAX ℔ lb	,25
TALLOW— "	,07@,07½
RAGS—Mixed, ...	2@2½c

In Turin, Italy, there are, according to the last census, no less than eighty women over one hundred years old The youngest 102, the oldest 117 years old None of these are a burden to the city or people, each living within the circle of their numerous descendants.

WANTED—A person of some means to join the advertiser in the manufacture and sale of a valuable article. Address C. G., Post-Office, or inquire of Wm. R. Merill, REPUBLICAN office.

DRY GOODS.

Purchasers of Dry Goods should avail themselves of the closing sale of

S. D. LUDDEN & CO

13 EAST MAIN STREET,

And obtain their goods at 65 cents on the dollar.

We have been in earnest in our advertisements of closing out sales from the first, and all will see it too, (even if incredulous before,) who come and observe our prices. Good goods going without regard to value.

(SHELLABARGER'S OLD STAND.)

June 12, 1872—d-tf.

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HISTORICAL,
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Late Publications Furnished to Order.

THIS OLD AND WELL KNOWN Establishment has recently been refitted, and stocked with new and fresh goods, and the undersigned respectfully invites the old patrons of the house, and the public generally, to give him a call.

No Trouble to Show Goods.

A. RUTH.

April 10-d&wtf.

David Hamsher,

Manufacturer of and Dealer in

Saddles, Harness,

BRIDLES
FLY NETS,
COLLARS,

And everything pertaining to his line.
☞ Shop over Stine's Clothing House, north side Old Square.
Decatur Aug. 11, 1870-t

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Glass Bowls, Goblets Sets, Pitchers, Cake Stands, etc., large assortment, at
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BOARDING.—A few boarders can be accommodated with board and lodging, at the old Ricketts House, corner of North Main and William streets.
jun24tf W. N. ZIMMERMAN

WANTED.—A young man, or an active boy, to do general work at Norman & Young's Barber Shop and Bath Rooms. [m3-d-tf.]

WANTED.—A girl to do the house work of a small family. German preferred. Apply at this office [a26tf]

MRS. MARTIN, No. 7 West Main street, has a few unfurnished rooms she wishes to let with board. [May 9.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, July 2.

National Republican Ticket.

For President,
ULYSSES S. GRANT,
OF ILLINOIS.

For Vice President,
HENRY WILSON,
OF MASS.

Presidential Electors:
At Large—HENRY GREENEBAUM, of Cook Co.
DAVID T. LINEGAR, of Alexander.
1st District—CHAUNCEY T. BOWEN.
2d District—LESTER L. BOND.
3d District—MARLON D. OGDEN.
4th District—RICHARD L. DIVINE.
5th District—JAMES SHAW.
6th District—NORMAN H. RYAN.
7th District—IRUS COY.
8th District—JOSEPH J. CASSEL.
9th District—WM. SELDEN GALE.
10th District—W. D. HENDERSON.
11th District—MOSES M. BANE.
12th District—M. H. CHAMBERLAIN.
13th District—HUGH FULLERTON.
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16th District—JOHN P. VAN DORSTON.
17th District—JOHN H. YEAGER.
18th District—JOHN DOUGHERTY.
19th District—WILLIAM H. ROBINSON.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
RICHARD J. OGLESBY,
OF MACON.

For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN L. BEVERIDGE,
OF COOK.

For Auditor,
CHARLES E. LIPPINCOTT,
OF CASS.

For Secretary of State,
GEORGE H. HARLOW,
OF TAZEWELL.

For Treasurer,
EDWARD RUTZ,
OF ST. CLAIR.

For Attorney-General,
JAMES K. EDSALL,
OF LEE.

Clerk of Supreme Court—Central Grand Division,
E. C. HAMBURGER,
OF ADAMS.

For Congress—14th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
OF DOUGLAS CO.

For Member of the Board of Equalization,
JOSEPH G. ENGLISH,
OF VERMILLION CO.

"We are led by him who first taught our armies to conquer in the West, and subsequently in the East also. Richmond would not come to us till we sent Grant after it, and then it had to come. He has never yet been defeated, and he never will be."—HORACE GREELEY.

Republican County Convention

HEADQUARTERS MACON COUNTY }
REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COM., }
DECATUR, June 11, 1872. }

The Republican voters of Macon county are requested to elect delegates to a Republican County Convention, to be held at Smith's Opera House in Decatur, on

SATURDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1872 at the hour of 10 a. m., for the following purposes:

1st. To re-organize the County Central Committee.

2nd. To elect delegates to the Republican Senatorial and Representative Conventions.

3rd. To nominate candidates to be voted for at the November election, to fill the following offices, to-wit: Circuit Clerk; Sheriff; County Prosecuting Attorney; Coroner; and

4th. For the transaction of such other business as may necessarily come before the Convention.

The basis of representation will be the vote cast for President in 1868, and each township of the county and ward of Decatur will be allowed one delegate for each fifty Republican votes cast, and one delegate for each fraction of over twenty-five votes. Under this rule the following shows the number of delegates to which each township of the county and ward of Decatur will be entitled:

Austin, 1; Blue Mound, 3; Decatur—1st ward, 6; 2d ward, 5; 3d ward, 5; 4th ward, 4; Friends Creek, 3; Harristown, 1; Hickory, 1; Illini, 2; Long Creek, 2; Macon, 1; Meroa, 1; Milam, 1; Mt. Zion, 2; Niantic, 2; Oakley, 2; Pleasant View, 2; Wheatland, 3; Whitmore, 3.
E. M. MISNER, Chm'n.
W. C. JOHNS, Sec'y.

A TRIBUNE "LIBERAL."—One of the shining lights of "Liberalism" in Chicago is "Gen." Robert W. Smith, and he is in high favor with the great Tribune there. In 1869 this same "Gen." Smith ran as the Republican candidate for judge of the recorder's court against the Democratic Judge McAllister. The Tribune then supported McAllister, and denounced Smith as a "dead beat ward bummer." The Tribune has an easy way of doing things.

WHENEVER he hears that visitors are on their way up the road from New York to see him at his farm at Chappaqua, Horace Greeley immediately rises out of his easy chair in his parlor, rolls up his sleeves, pokes his trousers inside of his boot-legs, puts on an old hat, shoulders an ax, rushes to a maple grove near by, and vigorously sets himself to work chopping down trees—the object being to have it noised abroad, as an electioneering card, that he is hard at work as a farmer and wood-chopper. Old Chappaqua—old Chappaquack—old Chopperquacker.

Not less than 80,000 head of beef cattle were driven from the mesquit grass ranges of Western Texas; besides, more than $300,000 worth of hides were exported from one port alone—Indianola—during the last twelve months.

DISINTEGRATION.

The American people, notwithstanding their intensely practical turn of mind, are nevertheless as subject to periodical attacks of political derangement as are their French neighbors. It is not an unusual thing for them to be swayed and carried away by some momentary excitement, upon which occasions they become for the moment the victims of the hallucination of the hour, and play pranks of which they are heartily ashamed when their sober senses resume their normal condition. Instances of this character will readily suggest themselves to the intelligent observer of events.

But these periodical idiosyncracies of American character, threatening as they are during their prevalence, are uniformly short-lived, and invariably work their own cure. And one of the peculiarities of this peculiar characteristic is, that when the returning tide once sets in, it carries back to the high shores of safety a stronger flood than it took out. The great sensation which anti-Masonry created nearly forty years ago, and which threatened for its brief lifetime to wipe out all the secret societies of the country, was followed by a reaction that has made any similar excitement since that time an impossibility. The memories of that warfare still linger with us, but most of those who were identified with the movement long since became ashamed of their connection with it, and the few agitators and malcontents who still endeavor to hold up Masonry as a political bugbear excite in the political mind nothing but a sentiment of pity and contempt. So, too, with Know-Nothingism, which had its brief day of triumph, and then a speedy and ignominious death, and the proscriptive principles which it taught to-day find fewer adherents than they had prior to the inauguration of the movement.

The latest political epidemic, "Liberalism," promises to have a still shorter life than its more successful predecessors. Like them it had its origin in the disappointed ambitions of men to whom power is everything—men who would much rather "rule in hell than serve in heaven." Without aim or object, other than to boost into office—under the guise of reform—a set of men who have been time and again repudiated by the people, it is not strange that the movement should lose its vitality as soon as the first furore of excitement over its cheap catchwords had time to die. But it is remarkable that, before the preliminaries of its organization are complete, and while the froth of its recent uncorking is still bubbling and foaming, the disintegration should begin. Already the disgust of prominent leaders in the movement has been awakened, over the disgraceful scramble for office which has been developed, and some of then openly *denounce* and *renounce* the unholy alliance which has been entered into with the most corrupt of the Democratic leaders. We expected that this would be the result, but it has come sooner than we anticipated. "But for this and all other mercies and blessings, may God be praised."

THE LAWS OF ILLINOIS.

Yesterday being the 1st of July, a mass of new legislation took effect as the law of the State of Illinois. Among the many important acts may be enumerated the following:

1. The new Revenue law, by which the present laws for the collection and assessment of taxes for city purposes are swept away, and an entirely new system provided.
2. Acts regulating practice in Courts of Record.
3. Increasing the jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace to $200 in civil cases, and requiring of them increased bonds.
4. The new general act for incorporation of railways.
5. The act to suppress gaming-houses.
6. To punish the sale and exhibition of obscene publications.
7. A new law of garnishment.
8. An act relating to wills.
9. Governings contracts under seal, and sales of real estate.
10. General act for changing name, increase of stock, number of Directors, and for consolidation of incorporated companies.
11. Punishing the sale of drugs for abortion purposes.
12. Prohibiting the catching of fish by dams, seines, etc.
13. Acts regulating practice in ejectment, and in chancery proceedings
14. Act regulating mill-dams, etc
15. A new law exempting homestead ($1,500) and personal property from sale by execution.
16. A new law regulating the lien of judgements, and the redemption of property sold under execution.
17. Act fixing the fees and salaries of State, judicial, county, and township offices.
18. An act providing for the health and safety of persons employed in coal mines.
19. A new act relating to public schools.
20. Increasing jurisdiction of County Courts.
21. An act providing a new system of selecting jurors.
22. Allowing increase of Masters in Chancery.
23. Act fixing times for election of officers, and for conducting elections in this State.
24. Prohibiting the sale of liquor in jails.
25. Regulating the State printing.
26. Relative to official bribery.
27. Making county and city officers ineligible to certain other offices, and prohibiting them from being interested in contracts.
28. An act regulating the annexation of additional territory to cities and towns.
28. County Boards authorized to put convicts at work; such convicts hereafter to be sentenced to "labor."
29. A new and general act for the incorporation of cities and villages.
30. General act authorizing the formation of union depots and stations for railroads.
31. A general lien law for claims against railroad contractors and sub-contractors.
32. Act authorizing building and homestead corporations.
33. Law regulating the right of Eminent Domain.
34. The Burnt Record law
35. The act regulating the licensing and sale of liquors in this State.
36. General act of incorporations
37. Act for the election of Recorder of deeds in Cook County.
38. An act authorizing Mayors of cities to remove and appoint all municipal officers.

There are several other acts, but these embrace all those of general importance." These laws are the more important because they repeal all others on the same subject.

THE success of the Suez canal, which is monthly becoming more assured, has revived the project of a similar work across the isthmus of Darien, or by Nicaragua. By such a cut, of course, cargoes could be dispatched to and from Asia and the Australasian islands without breaking bulk. Water, for bulky articles, must always have the advantage in point of cheapness over land carriage. We will soon have three or four Pacific railroads intersecting the continent, but these will, at best, prove but auxiliaries to the fleets of steamers which, crossing the Atlantic and Pacific, will yet connect Europe and Asia by the original route which Columbus started to discover. Besides, despite of English predictions to the contrary, the Suez route has already revolutionized the carriage of the Asiatic and Australian trade, turning it almost completely into that channel. It consequently behooves those interested in the progress of the western hemisphere to complete for a portion of that which has been from time immemorial the most profitable of the world's traffic. The survey of the officers of our government of the Darien route for a ship canal having been attended with poor success, public attention is once more turned to the Nicaragua route.

IN this city the Liberals are not happy over their convention. "Disappointed" is a mild word to express their feelings on the subject of the nominations. As stated in our Saturday's issue, about forty of the Republicans of this city, who had gone into the new departure have declared their intention to repudiate the nominations. They declare they cannot and will not support any such ticket. Among the number who take this position are gentlemen who were very influential in getting up the Liberal movement. This is only the beginning of the process of disintegration of the fusion party in this State, which will leave on the hands of the Democrats Mr. Greeley, without Republican support.—*Springfield Journal.*

IN 1867, a Miss Barber, a clerk in one of the Departments at Washington, was romantic and foolish enough to marry Squatting Bear, an Indian who was there as a delegate from the Sioux Indians. She accompanied the brave to his home, but when past the limits of civilization the romance was at an end. The other wives of the Bear made her perform the vilest labors of their marauding life, though she had the satisfaction of seeing her noble red man kill the old woman. He afterwards sold the white bride to a Cheyenne Chief for three ponies, but she made her escape from him this spring. She does not advocate the Quaker method of dealing with them, which she says is a perfect farce.

GENERAL.

In and around Biddeford, Me., there is a colony of 2,500 Canadians, and more are constantly arriving

Nearly 5,000 palmetto hats have been manufactured at Fernandina, Fla., and shipped north this season

The Mississippi and its tributaries are navigated by 1,017 steamers, having a capacity of 272,798 tons, and valued at about $10,000,000.

The physicians of New York report an alarming increase of cancer on the nose, caused by the practice of wearing eye-glasses that are held to the bridge of the nose by a spring.

Alexandria, Va., has been unfortunate. Last year the city market was burned up; later the city hall and all the official buildings; and now the old theatre known as Liberty hall has also gone.

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FROM BOSTON.

BOSTON, July 1.—To day, which was announced as peculiarly devoted to the Irish, drew an audience of only twenty thousand.

A fantasie from Faust, by the French band, the astonishing accomplishments of Madame Peschka Leutner, and air of the Queen of the Night, from the Magic Flute, and the performance of Irish band, under Clements, were the popular features, although the English and German bands were received with great favor. The Irish musicians showed their skill under an accomplished leader, who had them in training but a short time, and were kept on the stage for nearly an hour. The enthusiasm was immense, and overstepping that aroused by the anvil chorus with guns and strikers. "The Harp that once through Tara's Hall" was sung by the chorus and audience, and the Grenadier Band revived the enthusiasm by performing in fine style the Oberon overture, and on an encore several English and American favorites. The Don Juan overture by the German band was also favorably received.

Greeley will attend on Wednesday, which is to be called the Irish-American day.

The intense heat continues to-day, notwithstanding which there was an imposing show of Irish societies and military in procession to receive the Irish band.

The English residents here gave a banquet to the band of the Grenadier Guards this evening in Faneuil Hall.

FROM CINCINNATI.

CINCINNATI, July 1.—Wm. Smith, editor of the Cincinnati *Price Current*, and until the past year for a long time Superintendent of the Chamber of Commerce, is dangerously sick. Very little chance of his recovery.

Extensive preparations are making for the celebration of the Fourth of July, at the National Soldiers' Home, at Dayton. Mrs. Putnam, founder of the famous Putnam Library, at that institution, will be present, and it is the intention to give her the most generous reception.

The wheat harvest is already fairly under way in this part of Ohio. Though thinner on the ground than usual, all agree that the heads are unusually heavy and well filled

The weather is extremely hot, and many persons will leave this week for summer quarters.

FROM CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, July 2.—The enforcement of the new liquor law yesterday created some excitement among dealers in getting their permits and the City Hall was crowded with applicants. As bonds of persons wholly unknown to the authorities were frequently taken there was little difficulty in procuring license. About 150 licenses were issued yesterday. The law seems to work well throughout the State, thus far.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, July 2.—Wheat, quiet, cash 1.21¼; August, 1.14¼.

Corn, steady, cash 40½; August 42½; Sept. 43¼.

Pork, steady, quiet, cash 12.52½, Aug. 12.70.

Lard, nothing doing.

Oats, steady, 26.

Rye, nothing doing.

Barley, nothing doing.

Highwines, quiet 85.

Hogs, receipts, 6,603; market active; good demand; 5@10c better all around. Extreme range, 3,70@4,10, bulk of sales of light 3.90@3.95—heavy at 3.75@3,85.

Cattle, 2.12½@5.75.

Sheep, 4.00@5.50.

NEW YORK, July 2.—Flour, dull, inactive at 6,15@6.50.

Wheat, inactive, No. 2 Chicago 1.52

Corn, quiet and tame 62@62½.

Oats, held at 46; 44½ bid.

Rye, nominal at 82.

Whiskey, inactive 91.

Pork, quiet, $13.40.

Lard, quiet at 9¼@9½.

Gold, 113⅞c.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, July 2, 1872.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel $	1.15
" White "	1.40
FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred	5.50
" red " "	5 00
" superfine, "	3.50
" middlings, "	2.50
CORN MEAL—℔ bushel	.70
RYE—℔ bushel	40@,45
CORN—℔ bushel	28@,35
" shelled, per bush	15@,45
HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton,	9,00
OATS—℔ bushel,	20@23
TIMOTHY SEED—℔ bushel	2 00
CLOVER SEED— "	6,00@7 00
BEANS—℔ bushel	
BUTTER—℔ ℔	,12½
EGGS—per doz,	.10
LARD—℔ ℔	,08
BACON—Sides,	,06
HAMS—sugar-cured,	,11
SHOULDERS—per ℔	,06
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	3,25@3,50
CATTLE— " " "	3,50@6,00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	
" " " " sheared	3,50@4,00
POTATOES—Old, per bu,	1,00
" New "	,40
PEACHES—Dried, per ℔	,12½
APPLES— " "	,12½
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	27@31
" " coarse & long	38@45
" " combing	41@47
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	38@48
" " coarse & long	47@53
" " combing	52@54
" Tubwashed,	63@65
" " and picked	66@67
HIDES—Green, ℔ ℔,	06@,07
" Salted cured,	8½@,09
" Calf,	,12½@,12
" Dry salt,	,12½
" Dry Flint	,16
SHEEP PELTS—Green,	2,00@2,25
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ℔ ℔,	,50@,60
" Common, ℔ ℔	,25@,40
BEESWAX ℔ ℔	,25
TALLOW— "	,07@,07½
RAGS—Mixed,	2@2½c

In Turin, Italy, there are, according to the last census, no less than eighty women over one hundred years old. The youngest 102, the oldest 117 years old. None of these are a burden to the city or people, each living within the circle of their numerous descendants.

WANTED—A person of some means to join the advertiser in the manufacture and sale of a valuable article. Address C. G., Post-Office, or inquire of Wm. R. Merrill, REPUBLICAN office.

DRY GOODS.

Purchasers of Dry Goods should avail themselves of the closing sale of

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13 EAST MAIN STREET,

And obtain their goods at 65 cents on the dollar.

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June 17, 1872—d-tf.

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Blank Books of All Kinds,

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THIS OLD AND WELL KNOWN Establishment has recently been refitted, and stocked with new and fresh goods, and the undersigned respectfully invites the old patrons of the house, and the public generally, to give him a call.

No Trouble to Show Goods.

A. RUTH.

April 10-d&wtf.

David Hamsher,

Manufacturer of and Dealer in

Saddles, Harness,

BRIDLES
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And everything pertaining to his line.

☞Shop over Stine's Clothing House, north side Old Square.

Decatur Aug. 11, 1870-tf

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Glass Bowls, Goblets Sets, Pitchers, Cake Stands, etc., large assortment, at J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S.

BOARDING.—A few boarders can be accommodated with board and lodging, at the old Ricketts House, corner of North Main and William streets.
Jun26tf W. N. ZIMMERMAN

WANTED.—A young man, or an active boy, to do general work at Norman & Young's Barber Shop and Bath Rooms. [jn28-d1tf.]

WANTED.—A girl to do the housework of a small family. German preferred. Apply at this office. [n25-d1f

MRS. MARTIN, No. 7 West Main street, has a few unfurnished rooms she wishes to let with board. [May 31.

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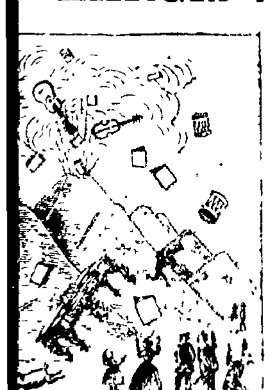

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WE ARE A LITTLE THIN,

Yet Weigh 65 Lbs. to the 100!

Perfectly able to keep New Goods coming in every day, which we are doing. Have just received another invoice of White Lawn, Buff Linen and Grass Cloth Suits, for ladies, and a splendid line of Ladies' Underwear, all of which we sell as low as the material will cost. Also, an elegant line of Grass Cloth, Buff Linens, Seersuckers, Plain and Striped Grenadines, Yosemites, Maraposis and Piques, all of which are very beautiful and desirable.

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We receive new goods of some kind EVERY DAY, thereby keeping fresh, "clean" goods and new styles, instead of an old played out, mussed stock, not worth 25 cts. on the dollar.

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April 1, 1872 d-1t.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, July term, A. D. 1872.

Lewis F. Houck *vs.* Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, James B. Fiske, and Augustus Knight

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled suit is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for the said county of Macon, and that summons has been issued in said cause returnable to the said July term of said Court, to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872,

When and where said defendants are required to appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in said cause, or the same will be taken pro confesso against all defendants not answering, and as to such defendants said cause will be heard *ex-parte*.

EDMISTON McCLELLAN, Clerk.
NELSON & ROBY, Sol's for Compl't
Decatur, May 20, 1872 d-4t.

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Shop in room formerly occupied by Wm. F. Linehan, No. 28 Merchant Street.

Decatur [illegible]

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, July 2.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

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Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

Announcements.

CIRCUIT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce EDMISTON McCLELLAN as a candidate for re-election as Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE M. WOOD as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce Captain HARVEY MAHANNAH as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce ISAAC D. JENNINGS as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CORONER.

We are authorized to announce MICHAEL Y. GOVIER as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...The thermometer got up to 96 degrees yesterday, and to day it stood at 95.

...A profound statesman of this city, after much meditation, has arrived at the conclusion "Party ties would hold us faster if every man could be postmaster."

...The Council held a long session last night, it being nearly 12 o'clock when they got through. A lively fight was attempted over the new liquor law, but without effect.

...The latest novelty in the noise creating line is what is termed a paper pistol. It has several advantages: it costs nothing for ammunition, is always loaded, will hurt nobody, and will set nothing on fire.

...Iced tea is in season. Those who have not used it will find a goblet of it at the dinner hour refreshing and invigorating. No drowsiness follows its use in hot weather, and it is therefore invaluable to people of sedentary occupation and habit.

...Only one of those handsome ladies to which the *Magnet* referred yesterday is connected with the sewing machine department of the elegant parlor in the store of Litsinberger and Sutton's. A beautiful and graceful *Sine* is conspicuous in the music parlor.

...The Supreme Court has just decided the case of Ada Fisher *vs.* The City of Decatur, affirming the judgment of the Circuit Court, for $3,483.33 and costs. This is the final decree in the case, and the city must make provision for payment of the same.

...Gen. Moore will deliver the address at the Fourth of July celebration at Newman, Douglas county. The celebration promises to be a huge affair, the I. & I. C. R. R. having just been completed to Newman, and the inhabitants therefore ripe for a glorification.

...On Saturday evening we received a present from Mr. N. Weber, who has an extensive Brewery south of the city, of a keg of excellent beer. Not being judges ourselves, we called in a committee of eleven to try it. It is astonishing how long it took 'em to find it out—and they called it superb.

...Capt. Joab Wilkinson arrived this morning from the East. We are not advised as to the place or places in which he spent the time which has intervened since we saw him in Philadelphia, June 6th, but wherever he has been he has doubtless delighted thousands by his charming dissertations upon the poets, etc. We are assured that his coming home so soon after the first of July has no particular significance.

Licenses.—The Council granted licenses to seven saloons to sell spirituous liquors, viz: Andrew Rothfuss, Central Hotel, Brenneman's, F. S. Batteiger, B. F. Dodson, Cain & Andrews, and John Seelbach. Those who have not taken out license are the Pennsylvania House, Union House, Priest House, National Hotel, Planters House, E. H. Mills, J. Stutsman, Chas. Weitel, --- Carroll, Mike Hackel, T. P. Flynn, D. Leake, — — Welsh, Turner, Burns, McCoy, and B. H. Cassell--the latter refused license. Of these some have shut up entirely, and do not intend to apply. Some of the others, we understand, will make application at the next meeting of the Council.

Railroad Leased.—The Lafayette & Bloomington railroad has been leased by the Toledo, Wabash & Western Railroad Company, and the time table has been so arranged as to make connection at Lafayette with that road. This will be an accommodation to the local travel of our State which will be appreciated.

A Line of silk cloaks to close out, at extremely low prices, also, a line of Berege de France, for ladies' suits, at importers' prices, at TH. A. GEHRMAN'S.
[July 2-d3t.]

Picnic.—The Baptist Sunday School have a picnic to-day at Bramble's grove. The school was called together at 7 o'clock, and about 8 they proceeded to the grounds.

Wanted.—A few gentlemen, or man and wife, can be accommodated with board and rooms, at Mrs. Luttrell's, corner of William and Jackson Streets. [Jun27tf

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

DECATUR, ILL., July 1, 1872.
REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Hill in the chair. Board all present except the Mayor.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Petition of J. Ullrich and others stating that plank in alley way are rotten, and that they will replank the same if the city will furnish the lumber, was read, and referred to committee on streets and alleys.

Petition of J. H. Fields, praying the Council to remit the fine imposed upon him, read, and motion was made to refer the same back for recommendation of Police Magistrate.

Ald. McNabb offered an amendment to lay the petition on the table. Carried.

Petition of J. Ullrich and others, asking that the city provide for carrying into effect a State law for testing illuminating oils, etc., and for appointing an inspector for that purpose, read and accepted, and motion made that an Inspector of Oils be appointed by the Council. Carried.

Ald. Mills moved that a committee of three be appointed to select a suitable person as such Inspector. Carried.

The Acting Mayor appointed as such committee, Ald. Mills, McNabb and Richards.

A communication was read from the City Assessor that the assesment for 1872 is complete and in the hands of the Register, and the total assessment, $3,700,000, which was accepted, and, motion made that a committee of four be appointed to examine the assessment book. Carried.

Ald. Myers, Hardy, Gabler and Hill were appointed as such committee.

Report of 1st and 2d Assistant Chief of Fire Department, of the state of the materials, apparatus and appurtenances of the Fire Department, with suggestions as to what is required, and also the organization of Hose Companies Nos. 1 and 2. Report accepted and the organizations received by the city; and the portion in relation to the apparatus and material needed referred to committee on fire and water.

The same officers also reported a proposition from S. K. Shafer, offering a building as a place of storage of fire apparatus, which was referred to committee on fire and water.

Report of City Attorney of cases tried before the Police Magistrate, read and referred to finance committee.

Report of City Treasurer for the month of June, read and referred to finance committee.

Report of City Supervisor of labor done in the month of June, read, placed on file, and warrants ordered to be issued for the several amounts.

Reports of same officer of lumber sold in May and June, read and placed on file.

The City Register submitted a report of the indebtedness, which gave the total debt of the city at $74,331.80 - was read, placed on file, and directed to be published as part of the minutes.

An ordinance regulating the conduct of hotel runners and porters, was read, and on motion adopted.

The finance committee reported back the petition of S. S. Jack for abatement of taxes, with recommendation that the prayer be granted, which recommendation was adopted, and a warrant ordered issued to the Collector for the amount claimed.

The same committee reported back the petition of George R. Steele, for same, which took the same course.

The following claims were allowed, and orded paid:

T. Tully & Co., street lamps, etc.,	$112,18
Gas Company,	171,27
Decatur Rolling Mill Co., old iron,	5,50
Thomas Powers, burying hogs,	2,40
Thomas Austin " "	,40
Geo Howard " "	1,60
W L Newman " "	1,60
Geo Howard " "	,80
Enterprise Coal Co., for coal,	42,00
Wm Towling, binding, etc.,	17,50
A Humphrey, special police,	21,00
H White, " "	5,00
Jacob Deardorff, " "	1,00
Ill. Cent. R. R., freight on coal,	112,00

The following claim was referred to the City Supervisor:

B B Tuttle, lumber,	505,31

The following claims were referred to the Supervisory Board:

And. Hatch, services,	28,00
H. Mueller, plumbing,	68,26

The following were referred to the finance committee:

F J Smith, making assessment list for 1872,	$300,00
F Hoffacker, jail fees,	98,10

Bill of City against Wm. Lintner & Co. for water pipe laid and work done, for $118,31 was, on motion, directed to be placed in the hands of the Collector for collection.

Petetion of Theo. Luce, that license fees be refunded for license not used, was read, and on motion, a warrant was ordered drawn for the amount, less the amount required for the time the license run.

Ald Richards offered a resolution that the Assistant Fire Engineers be instructed to organize the Hook and Ladder Company. Adopted. Ayes—Ald. Hardy, McNabb, Bramble, Gabler and Richards—Nays--Ald. Mills and Myers.

Ald. Hardy offered a resolution that the usual salaries of the city officers for the month of June be paid. Adopted.

Ald Richards offered a resolution that the City Supervisor be instructed to repair sidewalk on South Main street, from Wood to Washington, which was referred to the committee on sidewalks and crossings.

Ald. Gabler offered a resolution that the vote on the ordinance of the city in relation to spirituous liquor license, passed June 19th, be reconsidered. Also a resolution amending the same. All of which the acting Mayor declared to be out of order.

Ald. Richards offered a resolution that a two-feet sidewalk be constructed on Lawrence street, from Webster street east one block, which was referred to committee on sidewalks and crossings.

Ald. Richards offered a resolution that the committee procure the lease of lot for the erection of a building suitable for storage of apparatus, and to procure material needed, for use of the Fire Department, which was referred to that committee.

Ald. Richards offered a resolution returning thanks of the city to assistant fire engineers Hewes and Christie, for their prompt and efficient action in organizing a Fire Department. Adopted.

Proposition of B. H. Cassell deeding certain land to the city for street purposes, on condition that a certain other portion be vacated, was read and referred to committee on streets and alleys to obtain consent of parties.

Ald. Myers offered a resolution that the City Supervisor build a culvert on Calhoun street, between William and North streets, which was adopted.

Bills of B. F. Dodson for surplus water rates were on motion. Referred to Supervisory Board.

The following bonds and securities for the sale of malt and spirituous liquors were read and approved:

F. S. Batteiger, N. A. White, Eli Brenneman, Cain & Andrews, Andrew Rothfus and John Seelbach.

The bonds of B. F. Dodson were referred back for filling out of affidavits, with instruction to Register to issue license when properly signed.

Bond of B. Hilt Cassell was read and also remonstrance of owners and occupants of buildings on East Main street against the issuance of license to same. Whereupon the bonds were disapproved. Ayes—Ald. Hardy. Nays--Ald. Mills, Myers, McNabb, Bramble, Gabler and Richards.

Ald. Bramble offered a resolution that the ordinance committee be instructed to report an amendatory ordinance to regulate the sale of malt liquers.

Pending the question the Council adjourned. Ayes—Ald. Mills, Myers, Hardy, and McNabb. Nays--Ald. Bramble, Gabler, and Richards.

How it Works.—The first day of the new condition of things under the new liquor law was yesterday. All people seemed to be anxious to know how the new law would work, some as friends, and others opposed to it. Yet there was really no test, for the new order of things had not yet been assumed. Every saloon was without a license, because the Council had not met and taken action upon bonds and applications for license. Some of those who had filed their papers, considered themselves entitled to sell, and did so, and among those centered most of the interest and the amusement. One of the features of the day was the concoction of a list of names of persons whom the sellers were to debar from "bar privileges." This was called the "black list." The list at Andrews & Cain's, was about two yards long, and when a candidate presented himself for a beverage, he was requested to wait while they inspected the list, and the bar tender took one part, while the proprietor took another, and gravely set about inspecting three or four hundred names.--Sometimes the thirsty applicant found this too much for his patience, and he wouldn't wait for the decision.

One gentleman thought the occasion a a good one to place a wholesome restraint upon his son, and went among the dispensers of the ardent admonishing them against selling liquor to said son. The young man wanting a drink, endeavored to obtain it, but was refused. Tried another place and was refused; and a third with like result, when he inquired what was the reason his supplies were cut off. He was told that his father had prohibited the sale. Whereupon the young man went around in like manner and warned the saloons against selling to his father, threatening the awful penalties of the law if they failed to act upon his warning. The old gentleman wanted his daily "nip," and when he called for it, was much astonished to find that *his* supplies also were cut off. He was angry, very angry, and said some cruel things, and finally wound up by assuring his son that he was only joking. We haven't heard whether the restrictions are yet removed in either case.

That awful "black list" has had a depressing effect upon the demand for whiskey straight, a good many dreading to be told "We can't do it, your name is on the list, and we can't sell to you!"

There was very little drunkenness seen upon the streets yesterday, so for one day, at least, the law has had a good effect on the morals of the city.

Intending to devote my time exclusively to Photographing, I will sell my stock of FINE ART GOODS AT COST, *and will rent one-half of my store-room to a good party--gentleman or lady--to continue the business.*

June 25d1w A. MILT. LATHAM.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, July term, A. D. 1872.

Lewis F. Houck *vs.* Paschal R. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, James B. Fiske, and Augustus Knight

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled suit is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for the said county of Macon, and that summons has been issued [illegible] returnable to the said July [illegible] of said Court, to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872,

When and where said defendants are required to appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in said cause, or the same will be taken [illegible] against all defendants not [illegible] and as to such defendants [illegible] heard *ex parte*.

EDMISTON McCLELLAN, Clerk.
Nelson & Roby, Sol's for Compl't.
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Announcements.

CIRCUIT CLERK.

WE are authorized to announce EDMISTON McCLELLAN as a candidate for re-election as Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE M. WOOD as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

SHERIFF.

WE are authorized to announce Captain HARVEY MAHANNAH as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

WE are authorized to announce ISAAC D. JENNINGS as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CORONER.

WE are authorized to announce MICHAEL N. GIVEN as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...The thermometer got up to 96 degrees yesterday, and to day it stood at 95.

...A profound statesman of this city, after much meditation, has arrived at the conclusion: "Party ties would hold us faster if every man could be postmaster."

...The Council held a long session last night, it being nearly 12 o'clock when they got through. A lively fight was attempted over the new liquor law, but without effect.

...The latest novelty in the noise creating line is what is termed a paper pistol. It has several advantages: it costs nothing for ammunition, is always loaded, will hurt nobody, and will set nothing on fire.

...Iced tea is in season. Those who have not used it will find a goblet of it at the dinner hour refreshing and invigorating. No drowsiness follows its use in hot weather, and it is therefore invaluable to people of sedentary occupation and habit.

...Only one of those handsome ladies to which the *Magnet* referred yesterday is connected with the sewing machine department of the elegant parlor in the store of Litsinberger and Sutton's. A beautiful and graceful *Sine* is conspicuous in the music parlor.

...The Supreme Court has just decided the case of Ada Fisher *vs.* The City of Decatur, affirming the judgment of the Circuit Court, for $3,488.33 and costs. This is the final decree in the case, and the city must make provision for payment of the same.

...Gen. Moore will deliver the address at the Fourth of July celebration at Newman, Douglas county. The celebration promises to be a huge affair, the I. & I. C. R. R. having just been completed to Newman, and the inhabitants therefore ripe for a glorification.

...On Saturday evening we received a present from Mr. N. Weber, who has an extensive Brewery south of the city, of a keg of excellent beer. Not being judges ourselves, we called in a committee of eleven to try it. It is astonishing how long it took 'em to find it out—and they called it superb.

...Capt. Joab Wilkinson arrived this morning from the East. We are not advised as to the place or places in which he spent the time which has intervened since we saw him in Philadelphia, June 6th, but wherever he has been he has doubtless delighted thousands by his charming dissertations upon the poets, etc. We are assured that his coming home so soon after the first of July has no particular significance.

Licenses.—The Council granted licenses to seven saloons to sell spirituous liquors, viz: Andrew Rothfuss, Central Hotel, Brenneman's, F. S. Batteiger, B. F. Dodson, Cain & Andrews, and John Seelbach. Those who have not taken out license are the Pennsylvania House, Union House, Priest House, National Hotel, Planters House, E. H. Mills, J. Stutsman, Chas. Weitel, - - - Carroll, Mike Hacket, T. P. Flynn, D. Leake, - — Welsh, Turner, Burns, McCoy, and B. H. Cassell—the latter refused license. Of these some have shut up entirely, and do not intend to apply. Some of the others, we understand, will make application at the next meeting of the Council.

Railroad Leased.—The Lafayette & Bloomington railroad has been leased by the Toledo, Wabash & Western Railroad Company, and the time table has been so arranged as to make connection at Lafayette with that road. This will be an accommodation to the local travel of our State which will be appreciated.

A Line of silk cloaks to close out, at extremely low prices, also, a line of Berege de France, for ladies' suits, at importers' prices, at TH. A. GATERMAN'S.
[July 2-d1t.]

Picnic.—The Baptist Sunday School have a picnic to-day at Bramble's grove. The school was called together at 7 o'clock, and about 8 they proceeded to the grounds.

Wanted.—A few gentlemen, or man and wife, can be accommodated with board and rooms, at Mrs. Luttrell's, corner of William and Jackson Streets. [Jun27tf]

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

DECATUR, ILL., July 1, 1872.
REGULAR MEETING.

Ald. Hill in the chair. Board all present except the Mayor.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Petition of J. Ullrich and others stating that plank in alley way are rotten, and that they will replank the same if the city will furnish the lumber, was read, and referred to committee on streets and alleys.

Petition of J. H. Fields, praying the Council to remit the fine imposed upon him, read, and motion was made to refer the same back for recommendation of Police Magistrate.

Ald. McNabb offered an amendment to lay the petition on the table. Carried.

Petition of J. Ullrich and others, asking that the city provide for carrying into effect a State law for testing illuminating oils, etc., and for appointing an inspector for that purpose, read and accepted, and motion made that an Inspector of Oils be appointed by the Council. Carried.

Ald. Mills moved that a committee of three be appointed to select a suitable person as such Inspector. Carried.

The Acting Mayor appointed as such committee, Ald. Mills, McNabb and Richards.

A communication was read from the City Assessor that the assessment for 1872 is complete and in the hands of the Register, and the total assessment, $3,700,000, which was accepted, and, motion made that a committee of four be appointed to examine the assessment book. Carried.

Ald. Myers, Hardy, Gabler and Hill were appointed as such committee.

Report of 1st and 2d Assistant Chief of Fire Department, of the state of the materials, apparatus and appurtenances of the Fire Department, with suggestions as to what is required, and also the organization of Hose Companies Nos. 1 and 2. Report accepted and the organizations received by the city; and the portion in relation to the apparatus and material needed referred to committee on fire and water.

The same officers also reported a proposition from S. K. Shafer, offering a building as a place of storage of fire apparatus, which was referred to committee on fire and water.

Report of City Attorney of cases tried before the Police Magistrate, read and referred to finance committee.

Report of City Treasurer, for the month of June, read and referred to finance committee.

Report of City Supervisor of labor done in the month of June, read, placed on file, and warrants ordered to be issued for the several amounts.

Reports of same officer of lumber sold in May and June, read and placed on file.

The City Register submitted a report of the indebtedness, which gave the total debt of the city at $74,331.89—was read, placed on file, and directed to be published as part of the minutes.

An ordinance regulating the conduct of hotel runners and porters, was read, and on motion adopted.

The finance committee reported back the petition of S. S. Jack for abatement of taxes, with recommendation that the prayer be granted, which recommendation was adopted, and a warrant ordered issued to the Collector for the amount claimed.

The same committee reported back the petition of George R. Steele, for same, which took the same course.

The following claims were allowed, and orded paid:

T. Tully & Co., street lamps, etc.,...	$112,18
Gas Company, ...	171,27
Decatur Rolling Mill Co., old iron,	5,50
Thomas Powers, burying hogs,......	2,40
Thomas Austin " "	,40
Geo Howard " " ..	1,60
W L Newman " "	1,60
Geo Howard " "	,80
Enterprise Coal Co., for coal, ...	42,00
Wm Towing, binding, etc..........	17,50
A Humphrey, special police,.......	21,00
H White, " "	5,00
Jacob Deardorff, " "	1,00
Ill. Cent. R. R., freight on coal,....	112,60

The following claim was referred to the City Supervisor:

B B Tuttle, lumber,..............	505,31

The following claims were referred to the Supervisory Board:

And. Hatch, services,...............	28,00
H. Mueller, plumbing,........... ..	68,26

The following were referred to the finance committee:

F J Smith, making assessment list for 1872,..............	$300,00
F Hoffacker, jail fees, ...	98,10

Bill of City against Wm. Lintner & Co. for water pipe laid and work done, for $118,31 was, on motion, directed to be placed in the hands of the Collector for collection.

Petetion of Theo. Lace, that license fees be refunded for license not used, was read, and on motion, a warrant was ordered drawn for the amount, less the amount required for the time the license run.

Ald Richards offered a resolution that the Assistant Fire Engineers be instructed to organize the Hook and Ladder Company. Adopted. Ayes—Ald. Hardy, McNabb, Bramble, Gabler and Richards—Nays—Ald. Mills and Myers.

Ald. Hardy offered a resolution that the usual salaries of the city officers for the month of June be paid. Adopted.

Ald Richards offered a resolution that the City Supervisor be instructed to repair sidewalk on South Main street, from Wood to Washington, which was referred to the committee on sidewalks and crossings.

Ald. Gabler offered a resolution that the vote on the ordinance of the city in relation to spirituous liquor license, passed June 19th, be reconsidered. Also a resolution amending the same. All of which the acting Mayor declared to be out of order.

Ald. Richards offered a resolution that a two-feet sidewalk be constructed on Lawrence street, from Webster street east one block, which was referred to committee on sidewalks and crossings.

Ald. Richards offered a resolution that the committee procure the lease of lot for the erection of a building suitable for storage of apparatus, and to procure material needed, for use of the Fire Department, which was referred to that committee.

Ald. Richards offered a resolution returning thanks of the city to assistant fire engineers Hewes and Christie, for their prompt and efficient action in organizing a Fire Department. Adopted.

Proposition of B. H. Cassell deeding certain land to the city for street purposes, on condition that a certain other portion be vacated, was read and referred to committee on streets and alleys to obtain consent of parties.

Ald. Myers offered a resolution that the City Supervisor build a culvert on Calhoun street, between William and North streets, which was adopted.

Bills of B. F. Dodson for surplus water rates were on motion. Referred to Supervisory Board.

The following bonds and securities for the sale of malt and spirituous liquors were read and approved:

F. S. Batteiger, N. A. White, Eli Brenneman, Cain & Andrews, Andrew Rothfus and John Seelbach.

The bonds of B. F. Dodson were referred back for filling out of affidavits, with instruction to Register to issue license when properly signed.

Bond of B. Hilt Cassell was read and also remonstrance of owners and occupants of buildings on East Main street against the issuance of license to same. Whereupon the bonds were disapproved. Ayes—Ald. Hardy. Nays—Ald. Mills, Myers, McNabb, Bramble, Gabler and Richards.

Ald. Bramble offered a resolution that the ordinance committee be instructed to report an amendatory ordinance to regulate the sale of malt liquors.

Pending the question the Council adjourned. Ayes—Ald. Mills, Myers, Hardy, and McNabb. Nays—Ald. Bramble, Gabler, and Richards.

How it Works.—The first day of the new condition of things under the new liquor law was yesterday. All people seemed to be anxious to know how the new law would work, some as friends, and others opposed to it. Yet there was really no test, for the new order of things had not yet been assumed. Every saloon was without a license, because the Council had not met and taken action upon bonds and applications for license. Some of those who had filed their papers, considered themselves entitled to sell, and did so, and among those centered most of the interest and the amusement. One of the features of the day was the concoction of a list of names of persons whom the sellers were to debar from "bar privileges." This was called the "black list." The list at Andrews & Cain's, was about two yards long, and when a candidate presented himself for a beverage, he was requested to wait while they inspected the list, and the bar tender took one part, while the proprietor took another, and gravely set about inspecting three or four hundred names.—Sometimes the thirsty applicant found this too much for his patience, and he wouldn't wait for the decision.

One gentleman thought the occasion a a good one to place a wholesome restraint upon his son, and went among the dispensers of the ardent admonishing them against selling liquor to said son. The young man wanting a drink, endeavored to obtain it, but was refused. Tried another place and was refused; and a third with like result, when he inquired what was the reason his supplies were cut off. He was told that his father had prohibited the sale. Whereupon the young man went around in like manner and warned the saloons against selling to his father, threatening the awful penalties of the law if they failed to act upon his warning. The old gentleman wanted his daily "nip," and when he called for it, was much astonished to find that *his* supplies also were cut off. He was angry, very angry, and said some cruel things, and finally wound up by assuring his son that he was only joking. We haven't heard whether the restrictions are yet removed in either case.

That awful "black list" has had a depressing effect upon the demand for whiskey straight, a good many dreading to be told "We can't do it, your name is on the list, and we can't sell to you!"

There was very little drunkenness seen upon the streets yesterday, so for one day, at least, the law has had a good effect on the morals of the city.

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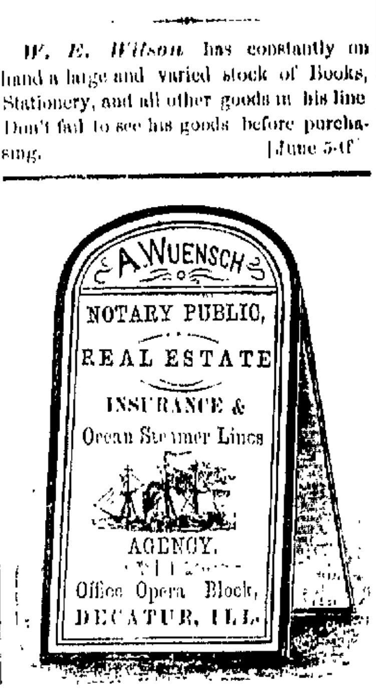

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The Daily Republican.

GETTING MONEY VERSUS SPENDING IT.—While everybody is thinking and talking about getting money, Charles H. Brigham reverses the order of things, and writes an excellent and wise essay for the *Herald of Health* on spending money. It is unfortunate that we had not thought of this matter before; for certainly had we read and acted upon his suggestions our purse would not have been in its present state of chronic emptiness. Of course it is obvious that as much depends upon the spending of money as the getting of it, and no doubt it would be hard to lay down many rules that admit of universal application. Mr. Brigham says, do not buy hurtful things because they are cheap, and do not spend money for the sake of spending it, nor spend more than you earn, nor spend wholly for yourself.

The Richmond *Enquirer* wants to know if Mr. Greeley is in favor of mixed schools. He was six months ago, but his experience in agriculture has taught him that it is better to keep the pigs and geese separate until they are perfectly ripe, after which they should be thrashed and placed in the cellar for winter use.

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JACOB BEAR,
Administrator.
June 20 6w]

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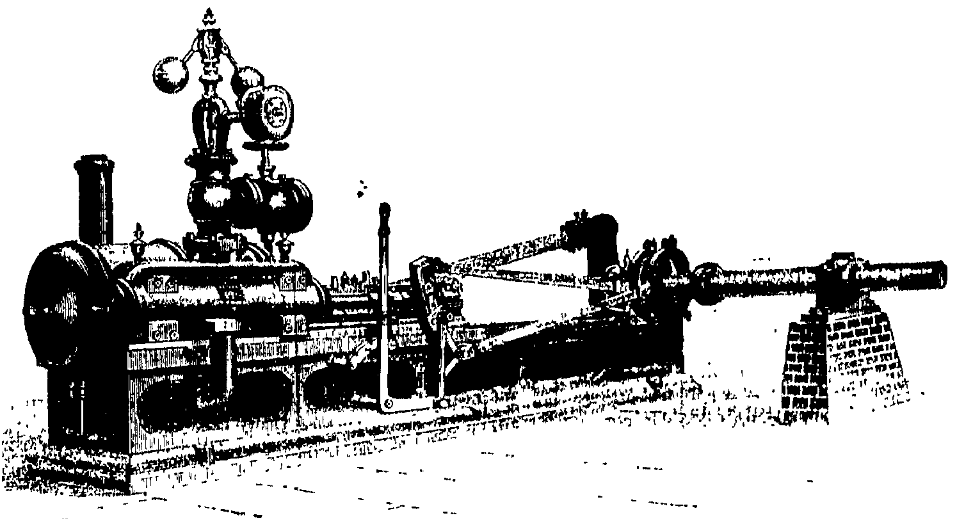

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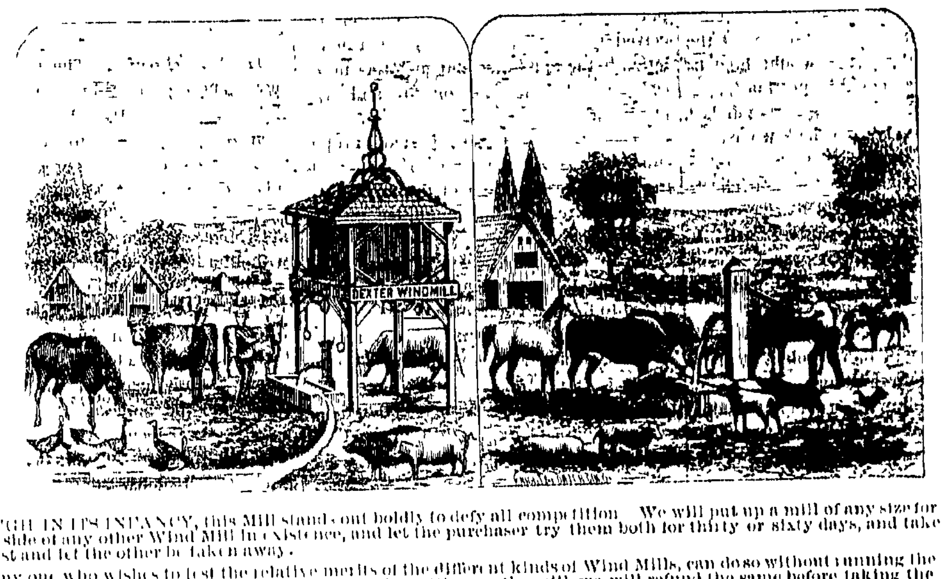

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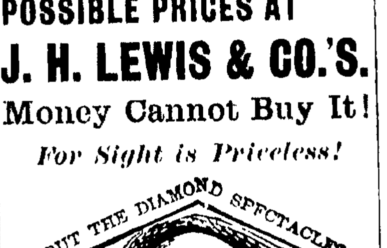

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The Richmond *Enquirer* wants to know if Mr. Greeley is in favor of mixed schools. He was six months ago, but his experience in agriculture has taught him that it is better to keep the pigs and geese separate until they are perfectly ripe, after which they should be thrashed and placed in the cellar for winter use.

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June 20-6w

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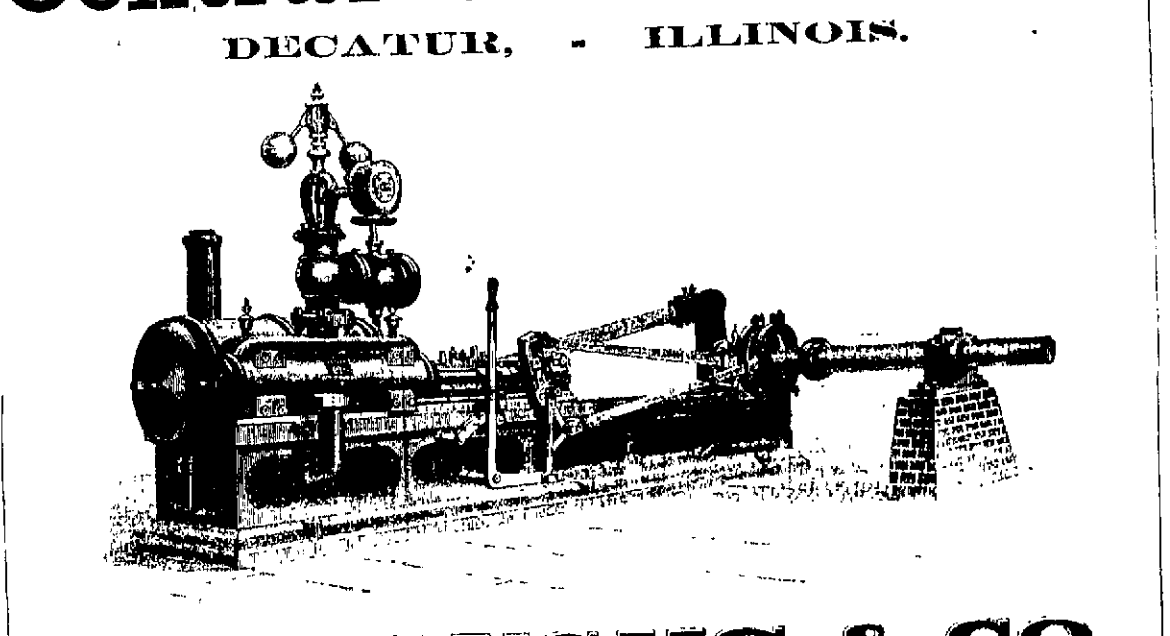

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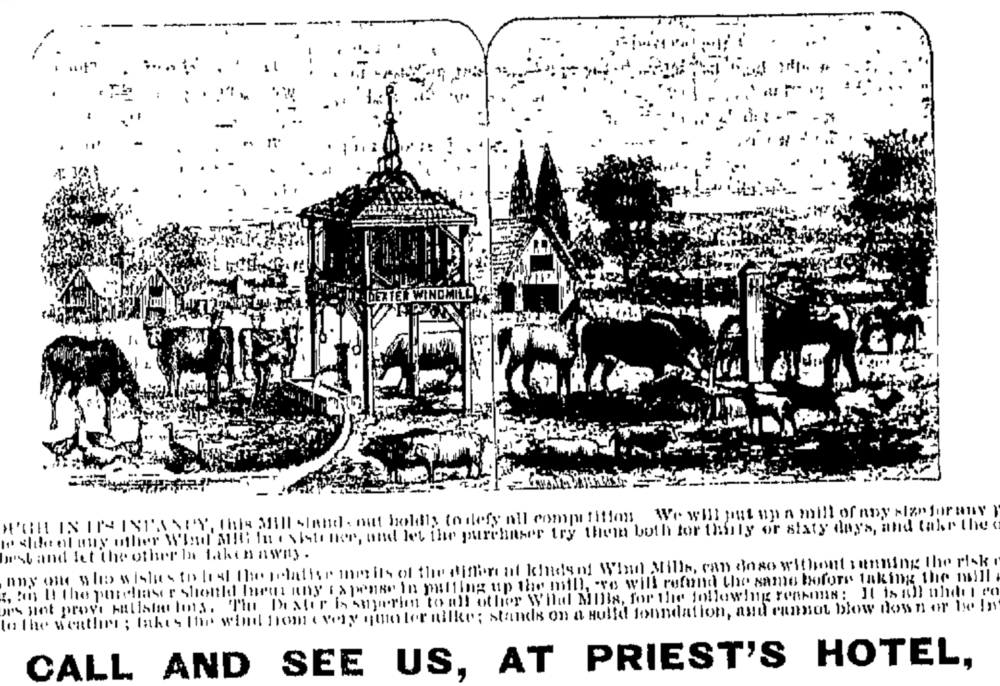

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